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Aurora Councillors Urge Early Action On Conservation

Aurora—Monday evening the Aurora council again considered a proposal tendered by the planning board which requested that the Aurora council call a meeting of the councils of Newmarket, Whitby, and East Gwillimbury to consider the formation of a Holland River Conservation Authority.

It was announced that the meeting had not materialized as yet. Unanimously supporting the proposed meeting the council appointed councillors Pringle and Glass and Deputy-Reeve Corner as a committee to arrange the meeting.

Various members of the council expressed their belief in the need for conservation measures. "There is nothing more important than conservation if you're looking ahead at all," said Councillor Pringle. Stating that council must decide if it is interested in conservation and willing to spend some time on it. Councillor Davies commented, "conservation is becoming very necessary. Water resources are fading fast." Councillor Jones recommended that a board of managers be set up separate from council to organize a conservation program.

Fairey Lake Cost \$4-\$5000 To Complete

Newmarket—Discussion on the possibilities of finishing the Fairey Lake project again took place at the council meeting on Monday night.

Reeve Arthur D. Evans said that according to the engineers, completion of the excavation with bulldozers, by an entire land operation, would cost between \$4,000 and \$5,000. That amount of money, he said, would enable the machinery to deepen the pond six feet from the top of the dam over an area extending 300 feet south of the dam.

What is taken from the lake bed could be piled along the east shore of the pond, he said, making possible a roadway from Water St. to the property immediately south of the pond, running parallel to the railway tracks. This property is owned by the Office Specialty Mfg. Co., at one time given it by the town.

Mr. Evans said that the property could be opened up if there were a road into it, either for building lots or a park. "We have enough parks already," commented Mayor Vale.

It was also pointed out by other members of council that this property was the only vacant property left in town that could have a railway siding and was suitable for an industrial site.

TAGGERS NEEDED FOR 'FORGET-ME-NOT' DAY

Anyone wishing to assist with the tagging on "Forget-Me-Not" Day, Saturday, June 18, are asked to phone Mrs. Fred Cass, 723. All contributions on this day are applied to Veterans' Welfare work in Newmarket.

PLAY FOR PATIENTS

Aurora—The Aurora Lions Boys' Band entertained patients at St. John's Convalescent hospital garden party, Newtonbrook, on Saturday, June 4.

COMING EVENTS

Friday, June 10—At 8 p.m., annual evening tea of the Business and Professional Women's Club, Scout Hall. Tea cup reading, Candy sale. Entire proceeds for artificial legs. c6w18

Saturday, June 11—Iris show, Newmarket Horticultural Society. Open to public 2-10 p.m. All entries must be made previous evening before 8 p.m. c2w22

Sunday, June 12—Visit gardens of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harman, 16 Strigley St., 3-5 p.m. Sponsored by Newmarket Horticultural Society, public invited to come and enjoy the iris. c2w23

Wednesday, June 15—Bingo in Holland Landing, under the auspices of East Gwillimbury Rod and Gun Conservation Club, in the Community hall at 8:15 p.m. Admission, 2 cards, 35 cents. c1w23

Wednesday, June 15—Garden party on grounds of Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Renzies, 15 Prospect St., from 3-5:30, 7-9. Sponsored by Newmarket Horticultural Society. Refreshments. Admission 35c. Cordial invitation extended to public. c2w22

Thursday, June 16—Opportunity sale in Market building, 2:30 to 5 p.m. Sponsored by Home and School Association. Features good used clothing, white elephant table. c2w22

Friday, June 17—Garden tea and bake sale at the home of Mrs. W. McCaffrey, 51 Lorne Ave., Newmarket, at 3 p.m., under the auspices of the Catholic Women's League. Special guest prize. c2w23

Friday, June 17—Kettleby Community Club dance, at the Parish hall at 9 p.m. Admission 50c. Charlie VanZant's orchestra. c2w23

Saturday, June 18—At 8:30 p.m., in the Newmarket Town hall, David Lewis, National Secretary, C.O.F., Archie Woods, C.C.F., candidate for York North. Public address under the auspices of Newmarket C.O.F. Association. c2w22

Saturday, June 18—Under the auspices of Elmhurst Beach W.L. the Scout and Cub mothers of Keswick will present the plays "The Little Red School-House" and "Thursdays at Home", in the Elmhurst Beach hall, at 8 p.m. c2w23

Monday, June 20—At 8:15 p.m., at the King George hotel, the Women's Progressive Conservative Rally. The candidate Mr. Arthur Walwyn and Mrs. Walwyn, and Mrs. H. McRae, president of the North York Ass'n will be present. Everybody welcome. Tea will be served at the conclusion of the meeting. c1w23

Saturday, July 9—Miami Beach strawberry garden party. Particulars later. t118

Please note, Elmhurst Women's Institute has cancelled the garden party, which was being held on July 16. c1w23

Wednesday, July 20—St. John's R.C. church annual garden party. Supper, games and prizes. Newmarket Citizens' Band and other attractions. Reserve this date. t120

Saturday, Aug. 13—Queensville Second Annual Sports Day. Reserve this date. Tell your friends. Bigger and better than last year. A big day of reunion for old friends. c1w23

Wednesday, Aug. 17—Newmarket Lions club annual summer carnival at Lions Park. Bingo and other games. Bigger and better than ever. Keep this date open for a night of fun. t121

Saturday, Aug. 20—Carl Anderson's 16th annual corn roast. Plans are being made for a bigger and better event this year. t121

Saturday, Aug. 20—Miami Beach corn roast. t118

Dance at Aurora High School Auditorium every Saturday night. Admission 50 cents. t114

Dancing every Friday and Saturday—At Mossington Park with Art West's orchestra. t117

Roller skating every night at Willow Beach Pavilion, Wilcox Lake. Plan a picnic and swim at the lake this week. c6w22



K. M. R. "Ken" Stiver, in light suit, and Hunt Taylor, first two presidents, cut the three-candled birthday cake at the birthday party of the Newmarket branch, 426, of the Canadian Legion celebrating its third anniversary a week ago Tuesday night. Total paid up membership of the Legion branch stands at 242 and the Legion has spent \$1,800 on welfare work in town, said president Ewing Speaker, at the anniversary were Mayor Vale, T. A. M. Hulse and Lex Mackenzie. Photo by Budd.

Ardent Bowler, Geo. Sisman Buried

Aurora—A resident of Aurora for nearly 40 years, George Sisman died at his home on Spruce St. on Thursday, June 2. Mr. Sisman, who was in his 88th year, had been in poor health for the past few weeks and had been confined to his bed for less than two days.

A member of Aurora United church, Mr. Sisman was noted for his skill and interest in lawn bowling and for his outstanding rose gardens. Active all his life, he put in his garden this spring and last summer went around to various lawn bowling tournaments. He was a member of

the Aurora Lawn Bowling club. Born in Tipton, Staffordshire, England, Mr. Sisman came to Canada 60 years ago where he entered the boot and shoe business in Toronto. Five years later he moved to Quebec City with his firm and ten years later came to Aurora where he was stockroom foreman in his brother's shoe business. Six years later he took up painting and decorating, retiring 15 years ago. "The last of a family of 14 children, Mr. Sisman is survived by his two daughters, Mrs. R. W. Cernish, Worcester, Mass., and Mrs. Cedric Willis, Aurora, and a grandson, James R. Willis.

Aurora Council Seeks Restaurant Closing At 1 A.M.

Aurora—Contained in the police commission's report to the Aurora council Monday evening was a request for a by-law forcing all Aurora restaurants to be

closed from 1 a.m. to 6 a.m. daily. Stating that the police commission felt that the gang wars and youth riots at Musselman's Lake and Lake Wilcox would be worse this year than in the past, and that these gangs would tend to gravitate to any town with an all-night restaurant, Mayor Dr. Crawford Rose, chairman of the police commission, requested consideration of the problem by council.

Harman Garden Visit New Date June 12

Newmarket—The visit to the gardens of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harman, 16 Strigley St., sponsored by the Newmarket Horticultural Society, has been advanced to Sunday, June 12. The gardens will be open from 3 to 5 p.m. to the public.

Warm weather last week has hastened the iris bloom for which Harman's gardens are so well known throughout the district. This necessitates moving forward the date of the visit to Harman's from June 18 as was announced in the Horticultural Society Bulletin to Sunday, June 12. A cordial welcome is extended to all who are interested.

Bill Beaudoin Wins Legion Soap Box Derby

Newmarket—Winner of the first prize in the Soap Box Derby held last night was Bill Beaudoin who received 15 silver dollars and the Jack Fraser cup. T. L. Ewing, president of the Newmarket branch of the Canadian Legion which held the derby, carnival and dance, said the evening was a success and thanked the town council, police, merchants and the public for their co-operation and support.

Prize winners at the carnival were Doug May who won first prize, a radio; Miss W. Brice, a suit; Bob Lundy, Aurora, groceries; and James Raymond, one ton of coal. t121

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GARDEN PARTY Newmarket—The Horticultural Society is sponsoring a garden party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Renzies Wednesday, June 15.

Drew, Duplessis In 'Agreement', Voters Should Know Terms - Martin, Health Minister Speaks In Town Hall

GLADMAN STOPS LICENSE AGENCY NAME WARD

Newmarket—Beginning today, motor licenses will be issued in Newmarket by Bert Ward, replacing H. M. Gladman, who is giving up this work in order to have more time to devote to his Canadian National Express Agency. Mr. Gladman was first appointed by the Drury government in 1921, now completing nearly 29 seasons at this work.

When he began more than 50 percent of the cars in use were model T. Fords, operators' licenses were some seven years in the future, and about 50 percent of the drivers who were supposed to carry chauffeur's licenses rolled merrily along without them. If a man carried fire and theft insurance, he called himself well insured and altogether the motoring picture was very different from present conditions. Yonge St. was being paved bit by bit, back streets in Newmarket looked like the paths in Dante's inferno when the spring breakup was on. The main street had just been paved after having been ripped up for sewers, then just rolled down and a bit of crushed stone applied. There were no radios in the cars, or hardly anywhere else as broadcasting was a curiosity. Verily, times have changed.

Aurora Woman Marks 87th Birthday

Aurora—Mrs. Thomas Stephens, Yonge St., celebrated her 87th birthday last Thursday. Her daughter-in-law, Mrs. W. L. Stephens, gave her a birthday party where a number of her friends and neighbors offered her their congratulations and best wishes. Mrs. Stephens is in splendid health despite her age.

Release Builder From Camp Contract

Newmarket—Release from an obligation to build eight houses in the former army camp subdivision was given to John W. Bowser at council meeting Monday night in exchange for property that will be part of the grounds for the new school in that area and part of the proposed extension of Muriel Ave. to Gorham St.

Mr. Bowser had a contract to build 36 homes in the subdivision and has completed 28, the remaining eight being held up because there were not adequate sewage facilities put in by the town. The town will get the property free with the release of Mr. Bowser's obligation. The motion for the release of the obligation also states that any residence built on plan 314 where the houses were to have been built, in the future, must be as good as the other residences in the area.

TAG DAY POSTPONED

Newmarket—The Navy League tag day, scheduled for last Saturday, has been postponed until the fall.

Watt Not Drunk Witness Declares

Late Monday Claude Weston, brother of Dean Weston, owner of one of the cars involved in the early Sunday morning accident at Musselman's Lake, denied charges of drunkenness levelled at Chief Constable Ronald Watt of Whitechurch by part-time constable Elmer Wells, Lemonville. "Wells has exaggerated the whole thing. Watt was not drunk," he said.

On Monday Wells told Toronto newspapers that Chief Watt was "so drunk he didn't know what he was doing," and charged that his behaviour was "not fitting a police officer." He stated that he received a call around 2 a.m. Sunday morning over an accident at Musselman's Lake. "I had the accident pretty well cleaned up when Watt arrived," he said. "Watt took the accident out of my hands."

"There were over 50 teenagers there and Watt started arguing with them. It turned into a riot. I got disgusted and left, and understand the accident wasn't cleaned up till 4:30 a.m.," he said.

Denying Wells' story, Mr. Weston stated that "there was no riot." There were two fights that didn't amount to anything and involved only three people. Watt broke this up." According to Mr. Weston the crowd was trying to goad Chief Watt into a fight. "There were nearly 50 of them and he had quite a time. Once Watt dispersed the crowd, he

Petition Asks Lights For Armitage Heights

Newmarket—Town council was petitioned by residents of the Armitage Subdivision last Monday night for lights on Andrew St. and on Eagle St. out at the outskirts of Armitage to the town limits. Spokesman was Jim Raymond. Mayor Vale said that the lights had been planned for but the petition would speed up their installation.

At the last meeting of council, councillors Paynter and Morrison urged that lights be put out Eagle St. continuing on to Yonge St. because of the new residents. Their motion for lights had been held over until another meeting. The motion on Monday night, however, only called for lights out to the town limits, which end at the outskirts of Armitage Heights.

Following the incident one man complained that he had been nearly choked to death by an assailant while Chief Watt was away having the brakes of one of the cars tested. "Wells was standing close by but didn't come to my assistance and refused to arrest my attacker," he said.

Whitechurch Police Commission met Tuesday evening to review the incident and are expected to announce their decision shortly.

Horse Show Entries Third More Than '48

Aurora—It was announced late Wednesday by A. E. L. Maughan that to date there have been one-third more entries in the Aurora Horse Show than by this same time last year. The horse show, which is to be held in the Aurora Town park on Saturday, June 11, is sponsored by the Aurora Agricultural Society.

The show promises to be an outstanding success. A large midway will be in operation starting Friday evening while a dance will be held in the Aurora high school Saturday evening to Leo Paxton's orchestra.

A much bigger exhibit for the ladies has been arranged with a large section set aside to accommodate their entries. A total of \$2,200 in cash prizes and trophies is to be awarded during the course of the program. The horse show proper will be conducted in three separate rings. An outstanding assembly of hunters, jumpers, draught and harness horses will be seen in action by the spectators.

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Council Endorses Health Unit Plan

Newmarket—Entry into a district health unit of possibly 14 municipalities was unanimously sanctioned by the town council at a meeting on Monday night.

Reeve Arthur D. Evans who presented the motion for joining the health unit should it be started, said that 11 or 12 of the 14 municipalities in the north end of the county have agreed to go in on the scheme. The health of children in the district would be looked after before they reach school age under this system, he said. "The cost for Newmarket would be a little more than half the cost of Newmarket's present health services," Mr. Evans said.

"It would be a major step forward," declared Deputy-Reeve J. L. Spillette. "We will get more for what we are paying. Some of the municipalities are in favour of the unit even though they will be paying more than they have been for health services."

The cost for Newmarket has been quoted around \$2,180 a year, for Aurora, \$1,484. One of the municipalities, Whitechurch township, has not favored entry into the health unit. Half of the total operating cost of the health unit is to be paid by the provincial government.

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Newmarket—Hon. Paul Martin, speaking here Tuesday night, termed the secret "agreement" between George Drew and Premier Duplessis of Quebec, a "serious situation" and declared that the people of Canada have a right to know the terms of such an agreement. The minister of health and welfare spoke at a mass Liberal meeting in Newmarket's town hall, sponsored by the York North Liberal Association. Liberal candidate Jack Smith also spoke, as well as riding officials.

"Mr. Drew saw Donald Fleming's statement in the press that there was a Drew-Duplessis alliance and then said that it was not an alliance but an agreement," said Mr. Martin. "If it is an alliance, that means they put together but if it is an agreement, you and I want to know its terms."

Opposed War Effort

"One of the first things we had to face at the beginning of the war was Duplessis' opposition to the war effort as well as that of Montreal's Mayor Houdé who was later interned. If Drew's agreement is with Duplessis, it is also with Houdé." The minister declared that Duplessis does not stand for the people of Quebec, that he was defeated in Quebec during the war by a vote of confidence in the Liberal government.

"All during the war, there was no greater government opponent than Drew," he said. "And we all remember that in opposing the family allowance, as premier of Ontario, he said that Ontario would be paying for Quebec's families. Duplessis once said that the only government that could pass legislation on family allowances would be a provincial government. So did Drew and so did Bracken. The government of Canada means the ten provinces and the federal government getting along together. What guarantee have we that there will be these satisfactory relations should he be elected as prime minister?"

"I know one of the terms of this agreement between Drew and Duplessis. It is to prevent a great man, one who is frank to the people, one who says in Quebec what he says in Vancouver, from getting into power."

No Irresponsible Promises

"We have said that we are not going before the people and make irresponsible promises. We believe that the people will support the Liberal party because that party will be able to carry out social welfare and health plans. When Drew says he is going to improve the family allowance, the people don't believe it. They know the test is not made by promises made in the heat of an election campaign but by the kind of sustained record that the Liberal party has made."

"The national health program is a step that will be felt for many years to come, based on the principle that a nation's health is a nation's wealth. This party and government won a statement from the American Public Health Association that the health program is the greatest event of all North American health movements in 25 years. I am one of those who believes that we must keep men at work. We can't have high social costs unless men are engaged in progressive effort and with this we must take bold steps in the future in the interest of social welfare."

Mr. Martin went on to outline some of the advancements that will be made under the program that will survey and combat cancer, T. B., and conditions that cause the crippling of children. T.B., he said, has been cut 50 percent in 25 years and the program is planned for the elimination of T.B. in the next two decades. Starting in May, 1948, the government has given \$180 million of money to the provinces for health services, he said.

Work of King Goes On

"The work of MacKenzie-King will go on through Prime Minister St. Laurent," said Mr. Martin. "Drew and St. Laurent are as different as day and night. It is not a question of who will win but how many seats the Liberals will have in the government of Canada. Twenty seats out of 28 in Newfoundland is very significant." The significant part is that Drew visited Newfoundland twice and St. Laurent did not go at all.

Of the York North Liberal candidate, he said: "Jack Smith is a man of rare judgment in the matters that concern this country as well as his own riding. He is a fine public servant and the best tribute you can

Discrimination, Loss Claimed From Parking Restrictions

Newmarket—A petition against the "no parking" restrictions on the west side of Main St. between Millard and Park Aves. was presented to council on Monday night by Jos. O. Dales on behalf of business men in the old Royal hotel block.

Chief complaint was that the area was the only business section where parking was restricted, and that it was hampering

business. Some businessmen felt that "discriminatory" measures had been adopted in this parking policy, said Mr. Dales.

Said councillor Morrison, chairman of the police committee, "Nobody is going to say anything if someone drops in to pick up a purchase but we don't want them parking for 10, 15 or 20 minutes." The problem was referred to the police for consideration.

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York Hog Growers Have Field Day

Gormley — On Wednesday, June 1, Zone No. 3 of the Hog Producers held a field day and picnic at Leitchcroft Farms, Gormley. The committee combined a day of instruction and pleasure. Chas. Newton of Barrie, director of Zone No. 3, acted as master of ceremonies. W. C. Tummon, secretary of Ontario Hog Producers, was guest speaker.

W. Watson of the livestock branch acted as official judge. Mr. Tummon said there would be an important announcement from the main office shortly to hog producers. He asked the farmers not to become panicky and liquidate their breeding stock.

The judging contest by Mr. Watson included breeding stock, bacon type, and weight guessing. Mr. Watson showed the good and bad points in the breeding stock. The farmers had a chance to ask questions. In the weight guessing contest, most farmers were away out on the weight. No one was within 30 pounds on the total weight of four hogs. This would prove the importance of having weighing scales for weighing hogs before being shipped. The ladies enjoyed the judging contest—one took a prize. The program of sports for young and old was enjoyed.

The Leitchcroft Farm supplied tables, chairs, and hot drinks at noon. The management, staff, their wives and families contributed to make the day a real success.

PLEASANTVILLE

On Tuesday afternoon of last week at the home of Mrs. Jas. Hope there was a good attendance for the Willing Workers' meeting. After the business session, Mrs. E. Johnson gave a splendid paper on "Sowing and Reaping." Mrs. Preston, convenor for sewing, had some children's articles cut ready to sew. The July meeting is to be at the home of Mrs. Wood and Mrs. Lloyd, and there will be a quilting.

Miss Erla Toole spent the weekend with Miss Gloria Oldham, Hartman.

Douglas S. Cole, in charge of affairs at the Canadian Embassy in Mexico, and Mrs. Cole, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Colville.

Mr. and Mrs. George Smith and two children spent part of Sunday in Toronto with Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Clarke, also Mrs. Fullerton and family at Hanlon's Point.

Mrs. G. McClure spent a couple of days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Orley McClure, Manchester.

Mrs. E. Hawtin returned home from Ottawa last week after spending some time there with Mr. and Mrs. R. Hawtin.

The Bogartown picnic will be held on Wednesday, June 22, at Wilcox Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry West motored to Fenelon Falls on Sunday, and their sister, Mrs. Widdifield, returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Sheridan, Bradford, also Mr. and Mrs. Roy McNicol and baby, Dunbarton, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. McNicol.

Several from the Bogartown W.I. attended the district annual at Queensville on Monday.

QUEENSVILLE

The June meeting of the Women's Association will be held Thursday, June 16, at 2:30 p.m. Several ladies of the executive of Toronto Centre Presbytery will be present and the following ladies will take part: The Devotional will be led by Mrs. Conquergood, and the soloist will be Mrs. Kathleen Kingston. The speaker will be Dr. Margaret Armstrong who is representative on the executive for the Victor Home for Girls. Dr. Armstrong was director of social work at the University of Kentucky and since returning to Canada has been associated with the University of Toronto.

HOLT

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Andrews are spending this week with relatives at Detroit, Mich.

Miss Marion Jefferson, Newmarket, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Don Thompson.

Mr. Glenice Marles, Penetang, spent the weekend at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Marles.

Miss Maude Knott and Mr. Wilbur Holliday had Sunday dinner with Mr. Holliday's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Holliday, at Brooklin.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Rutledge, Orillia, spent the weekend at the home of Mr. Rutledge's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Rutledge.

Mr. and Mrs. Carson Crane spent Sunday with Mrs. Crane's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Coates.

A large number from Holt attended Sports Day at Mount Albert Saturday. Keith Rose was the lucky winner of \$50.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Thompson, Miss Frieda Thompson and friend of Toronto, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Coates.

SHARON

The Women's Association of the United church is having a supper at the hall on June 23. Further particulars next week.

Miss Doris Wagg, Uxbridge, spent a few days last week with her cousin, Mrs. K. Shaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Mount and Dale spent a few days in Buffalo last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Houston, Toronto, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred McLeod.

Mrs. M. Shaw, Hamilton and Mrs. Stevenson, Detroit, Mich., spent the long weekend with Miss Nora Shaw.

Miss Lulu Atkinson, Toronto, spent the weekend at home.

Miss Margaret Lepard, Toronto, and Mr. M. E. Kiteley, Owen Sound, spent the long weekend with Mrs. M. E. Kiteley.

Mrs. Frank Capuso, Aurora, spent Monday at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wagg, Uxbridge, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. K. Shaw.

Mrs. W. O. Robertson, Margaret and Billy, Fort Erie, are spending a couple of weeks with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Green (Naomi Hockley) spent the weekend with Mrs. L. Weddel and family, also visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Rogers.

A miscellaneous shower was held at the hall on Monday night for Miss Madeline Hall and Mrs. Don Johnston (Margery Hall), each one receiving a lovely lot of gifts.

Mrs. M. Hall and Mrs. George Broderick, Hope, visited Mrs. Wreggit and Mrs. Harry Moss on Friday last.

HOLLAND LANDING

There will be two services in the United church on Sunday, June 12. Afternoon service at 2:45 will be the children's service as this is flower and bird Sunday. The guest speaker at the evening service at 7:30 will be Rev. Doggett, Thornton. May there be a good attendance at both services.

Mr. Peter Walker spent the weekend with his son in Bowmanville.

Miss Margaret Pearson, Weston, was the guest of Mrs. Ed. Dutton over the weekend.

Miss Bessie Evans, Reg. N., Orillia, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Evans.

Mrs. Birch and son, Gordon, and Mrs. Lloyd Speck and daughter, all of Toronto, spent Monday with Mrs. Ed. Dutton.

The many friends of Mr. Dave Smith are pleased to see him able to be around again.

Mrs. J. H. Cooke is able to be up again.

Mr. Percy Thompson is building a new house.

The meeting of Christ Church Women's Guild was held at the home of Mrs. Wm. Sweeney, Sr., on Wednesday, June 1. There were ten members present and the meeting opened with prayer. A vote was taken and passed to carry the meetings through the summer months. It was suggested that the Guild hold a bingo, but the date was not decided. The meeting closed with prayer, after which a delicious lunch was served by Mrs. Sweeney.

Community Saddened By Death of W. Ramsden

Kettleby — Gloom was cast over the community June 1 when word was received of the sudden death of Mr. William Ramsden, Port Credit, a former resident and farmer on the 5th con. for more than 40 years. Mr. Ramsden was a member and willing worker of the Christian church which now is the Baptist church.

The funeral was held Sunday from Skinner and Middlebrook funeral home at Port Credit. The burial service at Kettleby cemetery was largely attended, showing the high esteem felt by the community for Mr. Ramsden.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Wilson, Dunkerron, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Silas Heacock.

Miss Velma Cook, who had her tonsils removed at York County hospital last Thursday morning, was seriously ill but has returned home and is slowly improving.

Anniversary services were well attended at the Baptist church last Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Terry, Brantford, attended the funeral on Sunday of Mr. Wm. Ramsden.

Rev. and Mrs. W. E. Smalley had Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hilborn.

VANDORF

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Scott and daughters, Donna and Linda, and Mr. Harry Pension, nephew of Mr. Gordon Sinclair, of Clarkson, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Kingston and Bill. They also attended the Sports Day at Mount Albert.

Guests who visited Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Kingston on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Neil Lockie, Toronto, and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Rowen, Islington.

Mr. Grant Morley assisted as organist in the absence of Mr. Geo. E. Richardson on Sunday at Wesley United church. Mr. Garfield Brown of the sixth line was guest soloist. There is special music being planned for next Sunday.

Mrs. Wicks is visiting friends at Buffalo.

Jim Sleeth, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Sleeth, is in Toronto General hospital, where he will undergo an operation.

Mrs. F. H. van Nostrand, Mrs. H. Hillary, Mrs. Floyd Preston, Mrs. A. van Nostrand and Mrs. Grant Morley attended the district annual meeting at Queensville.

Mr. and Mrs. William Morgan, Toronto, visited Mr. and Mrs. H. Oliver on Sunday.

The Wesley W.A. regular monthly meeting was held at the home of Rev. and Mrs. E. C. Moddle, Aurora. There was a good attendance. The devotion period was taken by Mrs. Cale. The topic was taken by a guest speaker, Mrs. Carruthers, Toronto, who told of her experience with Jewish mission work in Montreal. Mrs. Dickin, Toronto, was guest soloist. A lovely lunch was served by Miss A. Dike and Mrs. E. Foster.

Howard Dike is ill in York County hospital suffering from a heart attack.

Miss Gwen Hurley, Toronto, a guest of Miss Audrey Switzer, spent the weekend with Mr. H. A. Switzer.

Don't forget the pictures by the National Film Board in Vandorf hall Thursday evening, June 16.

ARMITAGE

Mr. and Mrs. A. Lewis and Mr. and Mrs. H. Garbutt attended the graduation of Miss Arleeta Garbutt, of Women's College hospital on Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Thompson held a family reunion at their home on Sunday when the infant daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thompson, Dixie, and Mr. and Mrs. Warner Thompson, Chatham, were christened by Rev. H. Howey in Aurora United church.

Mr. John Lewis is spending the weekend at his home.

Just a reminder—don't forget June 24. It's the date of the combined Community club and school picnic to be held on the school grounds.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Small were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Doner.

The holiday Monday turned out to be circus day and practically every youngster in the neighborhood made his way to the Newmarket arena. Two elephants and six tigers were in a truck too high to clear the subway bridge at Aurora so in making the necessary detour, it turned out to be a rolling advertisement. However, despite being lost, they turned up about five hours later and the show went on as scheduled.

BROWNHILL

We were glad to welcome Zephyr in a good game of softball with our guests the winners 8-1. There was a line up of about 50 cars here to witness the event.

A number of folks attended Mount Albert's Sports Day on Saturday, June 4.

Mrs. Merna Green has spent a few days at Mount Albert with Catherine Hayes while Mrs. Hayes is in hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Thorpe and baby, Patricia, have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Crouch for the past week.

Mrs. Sarah Miller is still quite ill from the effects of a fall.

Mrs. G. H. Rose had her daughter, Norma, home for a visit over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Crouch were visiting at Brown Hill last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry King took a trip up near Gravenhurst last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Morley York visited Mr. York's mother last Saturday.

Car Caught On Fire
Mr. and Mrs. Amos York had a difficult time with their car. En route to Mount Albert, their car caught fire and Wilbert was burned on the arm.

Mrs. M. Longhurst visited in Sutton and her mother's home there.

Sunday school as usual next Sunday.

There will be a shower at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Bassinger for their son, Jim, and Jeanette Wilson June 10. Everyone is cordially invited.

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Pages from the Editor's Notebook

Geoff and Stella have been excited ever since they learned from the circus words of their father that the circus was coming to town. Their grandmother had given them as a present some weeks ago a cardboard file containing pictures of a circus. They studied this quite carefully. With their grandmother's help, they learned to identify lions and tigers, elephants and clowns. So when they learned the circus was coming to town, the event was full of real significance for them.

Monday morning was misery. Why couldn't they go to the circus now? They asked their mother at five-minute intervals. Was she sure the circus had arrived? Was it necessary to eat lunch? Why?

Somewhat, their mother persuaded them to rest a bit before lunch but it was a gesture only. They went to their rooms from which they shouted a question-and-answer dialogue: Would there be clowns? And bears? And horses? Mummy can I get up now? Why? Lunch was best compared to a pitched battle between appetites and mounting excitement. When they reached the arena they were fairly hopping with anticipation.

We joined the crowd of children and parents surging into the arena at about 2.30 p.m. and even then, had to go to the far end of the arena before finding seats. We settled the children and ourselves—and it began all over again. "Is this the circus, Mummy?" "Where are the lions?" "Where are the elephants?" "What's that man doing, Daddy?"

The circus management happily provided a clown to ease the strain of the 20 minutes before the circus opened and the kids thoroughly enjoyed him although at first, a certain amount of confusion was evident. They did not think it right to laugh at the difficulties the poor man was having with first, his hat, and then his long-tailed coat. But as the merriment increased, smiles broke out, and then laughter.

We didn't see much of the show, enjoying instead the bugged expressions of our children as act succeeded act in a colorful and exciting spectacle. The children's reaction varied. Some of the acts seemed to be without interest for them. The animals caught their attention, particularly the ponies and the sumo-wrestling dogs. The wild animal act provoked the question, "Can they bite, Daddy?"—appropriate to the snarling and pawing of the tigers which kept Captain Roman Proskem in constant action.

The bicycle act, which we liked best, brought tears to Geoff's eyes. His favorite toy is his tricycle. The spectacle of a man taking his bicycle apart was too much for Geoff's reverence of his own steed. He declared in tears that he wanted to go home and right away. We persuaded him to stay with reference to the elephants soon to appear.

The "Great Downie," whose utter disregard for the laws of gravity attracted our attention, left Stella unmoved. From her expression, she seemed to consider this display of skill a waste of time. As the Great Downie swung by his neck in "this death defying feat" and the arena was hushed in awe, Stella piped up with: "What's that man doing up there, Daddy?"

By the time the elephants went into their ponderous dance, the children were so saturated with the noises and the sights in the arena that the huge beasts were anti-climatic. To keep the kids peaceful, we bought them balloons. The next morning, the circus was forgotten and the events of the day before were reduced to their pleasure in the balloons as they bumped against the ceiling of their bedrooms.

From the Files of 25 and 50 Years Ago

The Stock Show at Aurora on Tuesday was a great success, according to the files of 25 years ago. There were 2,000 people on the grounds. One hundred cadets in uniform came up from St. Andrew's College, Toronto, and headed by their band marched up Yonge St. to the site of their new college where luncheon was served and in the afternoon they were guests of the fair. Art Evans, Newmarket, won the red ribbons on his pony and Mrs. Leishman won first prize in lady driving at the show.

Mr. Ernest Bogart has completed his final year in law and also obtained the degree of LL.B. at the University of Toronto. He has gone to the Muskoka Lakes for the summer as pursuer on the S.S. Sagana.

On June 11, Edna Kathleen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Helmer, and Charles Rupert Near, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Near, Georgetown, were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents, Church St., Rev. A. J. Mann officiated.

The new school building on Lorne Ave. is nearing completion and work has started on levelling the ground.

Ewart Fackler, son of H. H. Fackler, is home from the University of Toronto where he passed his exams as a geologist. He will leave shortly to spend the summer in New Ontario with a government surveying party.

Two new residences are being built on Eagle St. One is for W. Ayers and the other for David Harford. They are well on their way and will be ready for occupancy in a few months.

W. J. Brocklebank, whose parents reside on Park Ave., has just completed the academic year as professor of law at Tusculum University of Alabama and left New York on Saturday to visit friends in Paris, France. He expects to be away three or four weeks and on his return will take a summer course at Columbia University. He has accepted a position at the University of Pennsylvania, Pittsburgh, as teacher of law.

Mr. Gordon Burnett and family have moved to Toronto and his home on Court St. has been rented to Mr. C. Near.

The heavy rains on Monday caused considerable damage south of Schomberg, according to the files of 50 years ago. A number of culverts in the 4th of King were washed out, farm fences carried away by the flood, the stone foundation of a new barn being built for Robert White, Schomberg, was washed out and crops have been considerably damaged.

Messrs. E. Jackson and P. W. Pearson left here on Tuesday as delegates to the Owen Sound Conference.

Miss O'Leary and Miss Nora O'Leary leave this week for the Muskoka Lakes where they have accepted positions as cashier and assistant in the Navigation Office.

It was 26 in the shade last Wednesday.

Cane's factory is getting in another boiler this week. It will increase the capacity to 500 h.p. The new brick building is getting along well. The masons are up to the second storey and the carpenter work is well advanced. It is expected and the building will be ready to move into next month.

Mrs. Allan Gody entertained her Sunday-school class last Friday evening.

Mr. Obed Widdfield, Pine Orchard, brought a sample of his strawberry rhubarb into the office which had a bright, clear look, 2' 3" in length.

Norman Rogers is home from Medical College for vacation.

THE OLD HOME TOWN BY STANLEY



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The Editorials:

What Are the Terms?

A criticism of the Conservative campaign, hotly denied by the Conservative press, has been that Mr. Drew in his efforts to defeat the government, has allied himself with the nationalist-isolationist element in Quebec which is led by Mr. Duplessis, best known for his opposition to total war effort by Canada, and Mr. Houde, mayor of Montreal, wartime internee.

How sound the criticism was shown on Tuesday by the admission of Mr. Drew himself that there was an "agreement" between himself and Mr. Duplessis. What could be more damning to the Conservative cause than this "agreement"? There is nothing in common between the Conservatives led by Mr. Drew west of Quebec and the anti-liberal elements led by Mr. Duplessis in Quebec except an ambition to defeat the Liberals.

Mr. Drew requires Mr. Duplessis' help in pursuing this purpose but at what cost? The terms of the "agreement" have not been, of course, announced yet it must be obvious that in allying himself with Mr. Duplessis, Mr. Drew has committed the Conservative party to friendship with representatives of a policy that Conservatives have squarely opposed. What integrity can be found in such an arrangement.

Speaking in Newmarket Tuesday night, the Hon. Paul Martin, minister of national health and welfare, demanded: "The people of Canada have a right to know the terms of this 'agreement'." A most justifiable demand.

There is no reason why political parties should not enter into arrangements of mutual convenience to achieve certain purposes.

But when a political party associates with elements whose beliefs are squarely in opposition to it in an effort to defeat the government, the public has a right to know to what extent that party has forfeited its claims to national representation. Such agreements have a very real influence on the conduct of national affairs and as such, must be considered as public property.

Letters to the Editor

In last week's issue of The Era and Express, Reeve Ed Logan of Whitechurch township replied by letter to editorial criticism of his opposition to the health unit proposal, and to the criticism of another correspondent on his roads policy.

We should like to express our appreciation to Mr. Logan for taking the time to reply to these criticisms. As chief township official, he is a busy man. If he were to follow current custom, he could have ignored the criticism and contented himself by damning us with words only.

Had he followed this course, there would have been no profit to anyone. By taking time to write his letters, Mr. Logan restates his stand with additional arguments for it, and by doing so helps educate his readers in these matters.

We do not feel that Mr. Logan's reply is convincing, as is evident elsewhere on this page. But by indicating his willingness to discuss public business in a public medium, instead of taking the stand so often observed among public officials that public issues are none of the public's business, he has earned the respect of Whitechurch citizens.

Health Unit Endorsed

The Newmarket council on Monday night fully endorsed the health unit proposal, a scheme whereby neighboring municipalities pool their costs to maintain a single health unit, adequately staffed and partially financed by the provincial government, which can provide a complete health service to those participating. It is a particularly happy proposal for Newmarket since participation in a health unit reduces Newmarket's health costs by half, and enlarges our already better-than-average health service. Council's approval of the proposal represents a victory on the part of Reeve Arthur Evans, and to a lesser degree, Deputy Reeve Spillette. Reeve Evans has been a strong advocate of the scheme for some months, and with the assistance of Deputy Reeve Spillette, is contributing much towards the adoption of it in the north end of the county.

Opposition to the scheme was voiced from Whitechurch at its last council meeting. Cost was a factor then, and in a letter to the editor, printed last week, Reeve Ed Logan enlarged on his objection, arguing that the unit would be removed from the direction of

those who financed it, that there would be no local representation in the direction of the unit.

This is wrong. The participating municipalities would have adequate representation, the province appointing only one director to the municipalities' several. There would be just as much local representation as now exists in local health boards although spread over a wider area. Local health boards administer provincial legislation as well as local by-laws and to the extent that a health unit board must observe the former, it does, as Reeve Logan says, take direction from the province. There is not, however, domination by the province of health units as Reeve Logan suggests any more than there is domination by the province of local boards of health.

The formation of a health unit in the north part of the county will provide participating municipalities with health services they cannot at present afford when financed separately. It does so at a reduced cost to some municipalities, at heavier cost to others. The increase in cost to the latter, however, when figured per capita, makes the benefits in school nursing, sanitary inspection, and all the advantages of public health services, an exceedingly cheap public service.

The conclusion which must be drawn as far as those municipalities whose health service costs will increase by participation in a health unit is that their present services are not adequate, but this can be remedied by the formation of a health unit.

Water Shortage

Newmarket's vulnerability to an inadequate water supply is being demonstrated at present with appeals from the water committee to the householders to save water. Newmarket does not have a water shortage in the strict sense of the word. There is water supply for all requirements, but the provision of it represents a growing strain upon wells now used. It is quite conceivable that in a few short years, the capacity of those wells will be inadequate to the demand.

The water committee has been aware of this situation and last summer spent a large sum of money in search of new water sources, going some distance out of town in their search. No new wells were found. Yet at one time, this area was well watered.

The answer to a water shortage cannot be provided locally. More is involved than locating a new well. Water sources must be created and that can only be done by a heavy program of conservation. Councillor Tom Birrell is on the right track when he advocates a program of tree planting along the banks of the Holland River, and the damming of the river at points where the canal locks still stand to provide a series of reservoirs and hold back run-off water.

Newmarket cannot, by itself, undertake such a program. It goes far beyond its borders and the cost is too high for one municipality to pay. By working with other municipalities within the watershed through a Holland River Conservation Authority, and with financial assistance from the provincial government, a water conservation program could be undertaken which would benefit not only Newmarket but Aurora and all other municipalities involved.

Water shortages cannot be overcome in a few years, but by acting now on a conservation program, either along the lines suggested by Mr. Birrell or as advised by conservation engineers, a water famine can be averted in the future. A water shortage is the greatest handicap to development of the municipalities in the Holland watershed. What is done now will bear fruit in years to come, but a start must be made at once if anything is to be accomplished.

We commented last week on the shocking condition of the arena washrooms, as we found them on Monday of that week. We are informed that the washrooms were thoroughly cleaned the following day and that steps have been taken to ensure a continuing cleanliness.

Tuesday night, the Hon. Paul Martin, federal minister of health and welfare, spoke in the Newmarket town hall. Mr. Martin's department administers the Family Allowance Act and has begun a five-year national health program which in the current year, involves an expenditure of over \$31 millions. An able speaker, and one whose entire political life has been devoted to providing in increasing measure a federal health program, Newmarket was indeed honored by his presence.

The success of Mount Albert's 25th annual Sports Day at the park reflects much credit on the community for its continuous support of the project, and more specifically, on those individuals who this year worked so well to accomplish the event.

Office Cat reports Catnips By Ginger

Last week a daily print displayed a two-column front page story that reported the U.K. had recognized the Senussi as rulers of Cyrenaica. The Grand Senussi, Emir Idress el Senussi, apparently was to go to London to discuss matters of state and Britain had proclaimed the independence of Cyrenaica, recognizing the Grand Salami . . . I mean Senussi, as head of the government.

We read the heading and the first paragraph without the foggiest notion of what was going on and where. Admittedly, a few paragraphs below there was mention that this dim place was in the Eastern part of Libya but we would never have known. What was particularly amusing was the treatment of the names, subject and general presentation of the story as if it were all an every-day familiarity to the reading public.

Imagine the average reader seeing the Grand Senussi in print and saying "Oh yes, him again, eh," or seeing the name Cyrenaica and musing to himself, "Why here is some news about Cyrenaica!" The impression we had was that either the editors were showing off or just didn't give a darn about us ignorant readers or again, believed their readers to be pretty good geographers and genealogists. Who are the Senussi and how many readers know them anyway?

The public print said that the place is inhabited by 250,000 of these Senussi who, a century ago, "were united into a powerful Moslem group, zealous in its defense of Islam" and that's all it said. You see the trouble with newspapers? You just get a taste of knowledge and you're out off. So what does a great seeker of knowledge and the great truther like me have to do? Go and scrounge through the Encyclopedia Britannica. Oh bother!

Instead, I consulted our chief geographer who operates a stitching machine in the foreign news department. He said that he had never actually visited the Senussi but that it reminded him of the time when he was on the vast Goodab flats in the Siberian wastes.

"For six weeks we had nothing in our tummies but swamp water and the bitter flesh of the Mongolian Crumb Snatcher. That is a species of the Kee bird variety which doesn't fly but just sits."

"And after all your travels you have never encountered one single Senussi, O worthless geographer?" I said.

"No," said he, "but I have heard about them in my travels among the wandering tribes in the Sahara. A very fast moving crowd, I understand them to be. Seems to me that there was an old Senussi maxim, quite popular in the desert, of which I too was quite fond. Let me see now, it went something like, oh yes, quote, when you argue with a fool, be sure he isn't similarly engaged, unquote. An old Senussi maxim."

by "Back Concession" The Top Six Inches

We have read about the bill of rights, civil rights, the rights of man. Just what are the rights of man? What should he expect or demand?

Some writers in our papers are calling on the low income tax group to demand their rights in the color and shape of the package of food. Others are demanding a lower price on food. There is a squeeze play on farm produce now brought on by people who have good salaries and good positions. Butter is down in price, the farmers are weeding more calves and too many calves on the market. Veal prices are down \$3 per 100 lbs.

Which farm produce is the next for a squeeze is anyone's guess. We are told that we must not talk or think of a recession or a depression. For the depression of the hungry 30's there were many reasons given. We do know what happened on the farm. When farm prices went down the farmers started to kill their own stock. There were half pigs and quantities of beef and the beef ring system was started in many places. It took work away from the truckers of stock to market, from the packing plants, truckers who brought meat back to the retail trade and work in the retail market. The farm machinery on the farms was held together by haywire meaning less work for men making repairs.

When the purchasing power is taken away from any group it is bad for everyone. The farmer was hard hit but very few if any farmers had to go on relief. There are two ways the farmer can meet a lower food price, work harder and produce more or take more out of the soil than he puts in. Has the consumer of food the right to demand that the farmer work longer hours than any other group or produce a low food price at the expense of our soil?

It has been said that the farmer needs better management and more efficiency in production to lower the cost of food. The commission on price spreads found that there was very little competition in prices, that the manufacturer had control of the price to the consumer. If the farmer had price control of farm produce to the consumer, then better management and efficiency would pay the farmer. We sell on a supply and demand market. When the supply exceeds the demand the price is forced down, so why should we farmers work to force our own prices down? The manufacturer does not over-load the market. Better management and efficiency would pay industry but not the farmer.

The farmer does improve his breeding stock, grain, hay, but who gets the real benefit? Not the farmer but the consumer in a low food policy. If it is right that part of our economy should be under control while part is under a competition system free enterprise is a wonderful thing. The farmer is free to work harder, produce more to sell for less and by the actions of many of our farm friends they like the half and half system.


We can't blame our city friends for wanting lower food prices, but we can prove that one hour's wage today will buy more food than any year since 1901—bread, beef, eggs, butter and milk. Our farm economists are bringing many things to light. After a while the farmer will realize that the marketing of farm produce is as important as producing.

At the time of writing, oats and barley are up \$1 per ton, while hogs are down nearly \$3 per hundred. The hog producer has to be smart to meet these conditions. No wonder there are too many farmers that are in and out of producing hogs. Cheerio.



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**Infants, Pre-School
Clinic At P.H.N. Office**
Newmarket — A vaccination
clinic for infants and pre-school
children will be held at the pub-
lic health office, Botsford St.,
on June 16 from 1.30 to 2 p.m.
A number of infants and pre-
school children who did not re-
turn for the final combined treat-
ment against whooping cough,
diphtheria and tetanus, held on
May 19, may receive the final of
**Hkt. Legion Auxiliary
Holds Last Euchre**
Newmarket — The Canadian
Legion Ladies' Auxiliary, branch
428, held its last euchre of the
season on Thursday, June 2, in
the Legion hall. The prize win-
ners were: ladies' lone hand,
Mrs. C. Burling; gents' lone hand,
Mr. A. Daley; ladies' first, Mrs.
E. Miller; gents' first, Mrs. E.
Groves. The draw for the basket
of groceries was won by Mrs. G.
McComb. The first prizes for
the best attendance all the year
were won by Mrs. F. Burch and
Mrs. E. Miller. Others attend-
ing every euchre all the year
were Mrs. McComb, Mrs. I.
West, Mrs. M. Winters, Mrs. B.
Gilkes, Mrs. C. Lane, Mrs. C.
Burling and Mr. G. Germain.
TRAINS FOR T.C.A.
Miss Margaret McKimming,
formerly of Newmarket, has
gone to Winnipeg to train as an
airline hostess for T.C.A. She
went through Newmarket public
and high schools and trained as a
nurse at Toronto Western hospi-
tal and the Psychiatric hospital.
MAPLE HILL
(Held From Last Week)
A pleasant evening was spent
last Friday night at Mr. Fred
Knight's home when a shower
was held in honor of Miss Dor-
othy Jennison, a bride of this
week, and Murray Kennedy. A
dainty lunch brought the even-
ing to a close.
Rev. and Mrs. Large left for
Philadelphia on Tuesday where
they will spend three weeks at
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of the marriage of Mary Frances
Griffith, daughter of Mr. and
Mrs. W. Eric Griffith, Toronto,
to Charles Douglas McCAllum,
son of Mrs. F. H. McCAllum, Tor-
onto, and the late Mr. McCAl-
lum. Dr. G. Stanley Russell
performed the ceremony.
The bride, who was given in
marriage by her father, wore a
gown of ivory bridal satin with
Greek lines, a long ivory tulle
veil held by a headpiece of Bal-
enbury heirloom lace with white
roses and stephanotis. The
attendants, Mrs. E. Woodruff and
Miss K. Miller, wore similar
gowns of melon faille and carried
rainbow sweetpeas.
The best man was Harold A.
Logan and ushers were L. D.
Woodruff, James Austin, William
Griffith and Charles Wilson.
At the reception at Prince Ar-
thur House, the groom's mother
received in mist blue crepe and
the bride's mother in honey
beige. The couple will reside in
Toronto.

Aurora Salvation Army
Plans Special Musical
At Aurora United
Aurora—Because of the gener-
ous support of the Red Shield
Appeal in Aurora, the Salvation
Army is presenting a special
musical festival tomorrow night,
June 10, in the United church at
8.15 p.m. Special feature of the
festival will be the Danforth Sal-
vation Army 59-voice choir
which has been recognized in
music circles as the finest in the
Army and has a reputation in
Canada and the United States.
On the program are some of the
best Salvation Army musicians
including Eric Sharp, tenor, Penn
Watkin, A.T.C.M., and Capt. Er-
nie Farr.
Lieut. E. J. Ivany of the Aur-
ora Citadel says that he wished
to give this presentation in ap-
preciation of the excellent sup-
port during the recent appeal.
Donations have passed the \$1,500
mark and a report of the whole
town and surrounding area is ex-
pected to go over the top and be
the finest year for the Army.

DRAMA CLUB
Newmarket—The annual meet-
ing of the Newmarket Dramatic
Club will be held next week on
Thursday, June 16, at the club
rooms on Cedar St. Lunch will
be served.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH
Newmarket—Last Sunday be-
ing Whit Sunday there was Holy
Communion at both 8.30 and
11 o'clock. The flowers in the
church were from Mrs. E. A.
Robinson in loving memory of
her mother. The Ladies' Aid
held its monthly meeting at the
home of Mrs. Arthur D. Evans,
Eagle St., when final plans were
made from the garden tea and
bake sale being held this after-
noon from 3 to 6 on the grounds
Ave. Next Thursday, June 16,
will be the annual conference of
the Women's Auxiliary of the
Parish of West York, held this
year at Trinity church, Thorn-
hill commencing at 10 a.m. D.S.
T.

RECENT BRIDE SHOWERED
Newmarket — Two showers
were held in Toronto recently in
honor of Mrs. James Juffs, a
bride of last month, at the home
of the bride's sister, Mrs. Alfred
King. Over 40 people were pres-
ent and the bride received many
lovely gifts. Mrs. Robert Juffs
also entertained at a miscellane-
ous shower.

MEET JUNE 14
Newmarket — The Evangeline
Auxiliary of Trinity United
church will meet Tuesday even-
ing, June 14, at 8 o'clock in the
school room. Miss Florence
Gruchy, a missionary from India,
will be the guest speaker. An
interesting meeting is being plan-
ned and it is hoped that there
will be a full attendance.

HOLSTEIN CLUB PICNIC
The York County Holstein club
is again holding its annual picnic
at Fundule Park, Woodbridge, on
Saturday, June 11. Members are
asked to be on hand at 10.30 this
year to get the judging done be-
fore noon. A new feature in the
afternoon will be a hoof trim-
ming demonstration on one of
the two new trimming crates or
"stocks" recently purchased for
the convenience of the members
of the club. Following lunch at
noon there will be fun and sports
for everyone with an entertainer
for the children.

BACQUE PROPERTY SOLD
Newmarket — The Bacque
property at the corner of Eagle
St. has been purchased by Ross
Caradonna. The sale was made
through the Charles E. Boyd
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Given in marriage by her fath- er, the bride wore a baby blue gown with navy blue accesso- ries and pink roses and lily of the valley. Her only attendant, Miss Elizabeth Morning, chose baby blue and pink roses and lily of the valley. Mr. William

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Betty Armstrong Wins N.S. Assn. Essay Contest
Newmarket—Betty Armstrong, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elton Armstrong, won the first prize in the essay contest open to pupils in grades 7 and 8 of the public schools. Sponsored by the Home and School Association the essays were based on the April Hobby Show. Prizes were donated by three members of the hobby group.
In presenting the awards to the winners at the annual meeting of the Home and School Association last week, Mrs. M. B. Seldon, chairman of the school board, said that the calibre of the essays was exceptionally high. She congratulated the winners on their fine work. The others receiving prizes were: Verne Hutchinson who won second place, and Marion Gibson, the third prize-winner. Judges of the contest were Mrs. Lou Bovair, Mrs. M. B. Seldon and Mrs. Renzies. Betty Armstrong very nicely thanked the Association for sponsoring the contest.

AURORA SOCIAL NEWS
Master Dick Perdue, Toronto, spent the weekend with David Teasdale.
Miss Joanne Teasdale spent the weekend with Ann Perdue of Toronto.
Miss Marjorie Andrews attended the Griffith-McCallum wedding in Toronto on Saturday, June 4.
Miss E. V. Taylor, Reg. N., of Toronto, spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Hodgkinson.
Mr. D. Brown, Stouffville, spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Robt. Brown.
Mr. and Mrs. C. Doolittle attended the capping ceremony at St. Joseph's hospital last week when their daughter, Jolyne, received her cap, passing her course with honors in all subjects.

AT CIRCUS
Aurora—A good number from Aurora attended the circus held in Newmarket on Monday.

The Common Round . . .
By Isabel Inglis Colville
QUESTIONS
I wonder if any of the readers of this column have, like the writer of it, lost their orioles? Year after year, these lovely black bonneted little feathered friends have come back to us, have fed at our Spruce Tree Inn in happy harmony with our other boarders and serenaded us with their happy notes.
This year, despite food and water being there as of old, no sign of our brilliant comrades have we seen. Twice the other half of the family and I thought we heard their notes in the distance, but there have been no repeats and we are lonely. The song sparrows carol lustily and the wrens warble and scold—all as of old—but where are the orioles?
Another question—When is a joint meeting not a joint meeting? I suppose we all, in the course of attending many meetings, have been where a supposedly joint meeting was in progress, and where, despite frantic efforts on the part of some enterprising souls, the two groups remained stubbornly intact as a group. Maybe one or two intrepid souls might venture to cross the unseen line between but like all adventurers their fate was uncertain.
However, when we of the Bogartown Institute journeyed to Sharon last Wednesday to the home of Mrs. Boyd, we had a cheerful feeling that all would be well—and it was, despite the fact that some of my Sharon and Bogartown friends found so many feathers on my back that they thought I must be growing wings.
It was interesting listening to the problems, projects and plans of another Institute—I find it truer all the time that one learns by listening. And the two Institutes listened all mixed up—I don't mean that our brains were added—just that here was a Bogartownian—there a Sharonite.
The material for the three papers given by Mrs. A. Penrose, Mrs. H. Penrose and Mrs. Frank Williams—one prepared by Miss L. Starr, was gathered at the source—that is from the coal mining districts, the deep sea fishers' homes and the oil fields of the west.
One thing that struck me was how little the average woman knows about mineral rights and I presume this applied until recently to many men, too, for the contrast in the fortunes of those families whose property purchases included mineral rights was brought before us. The man who, though he owned the land—owned it for many years—yet had no mineral rights, really lost if oil was found on his property, for his farm was destroyed and all he received was rent for the land where the oil was. In contrast, the man having mineral rights got splendid royalties on his holdings and became rich.
Were you ever in a spelling match? If you were anything like me, you couldn't spell your own name even if you remembered it—which I did not on one never to be forgotten occasion.
At any rate when Mrs. McClure lined up six heroic Sharon souls and proceeded to ask them questions—my heart went out to them and I suffered with them only to relax when a triumphant voice announced the proper answer. All the same, these quizzes on Institute, local and world affairs are splendid memory tests.
Your columnist sang "The Swallows" and "The Artist"—a cat song. Mrs. Albert Ridley acted as accompanist. Mrs. Earl Toole read a delightful little poem about how babies were brought up in the long ago and this writer read how a wedding ceremony and an auction sale were beautifully mixed up by a rattle-brained editor.
The ladies of Sharon make wonderful cakes and sandwiches as was proved in the delightful half-hour which followed the meeting when social intercourse was accompanied by the disappearance of the good things before us—we should have more of these joint meetings.
June 6 At Queensville
I love to go to bed with the thought of some delightful event—even if it keeps me awake—in the offing. I lay watching the grey of early dawn deepen into sunrise and it suggested the deepening and expanding of the work of the Women's Institutes. And as we, after a hectic early morning, got into the car and drove through a land of utter peace—a land where we can express our views, say our prayers and work out our individual problems, a little prayer of thanks-giving welled up in my heart, for it seems to me the times are all too few when we see Canada as others see her—a land of unstinted opportunity.
Since we are now blessed with a W.I. column in The Era and Express, I will only mention in this column next week, the things which highlighted the day for me. So until next week, au revoir!

NEWMARKET W.C.T.U.
Alcoholism Said Challenge
Newmarket — The regular meeting of the W.C.T.U. was held at the home of Mrs. E. Bate on June 7. Mrs. J. Shier gave the devotional exercises, reading from the 12th chapter of John. Miss L. Starr gave a report of the provincial convention held at Kingston. Mrs. T. Greenaway, the provincial president of Hamilton, gave the following address at Kingston:
"We serve notice on those engaged in the alcoholic beverage traffic that the W.C.T.U. will engage eternal war on their business which has wrecked more homes and destroyed more lives than all the wars combined. The present situation throughout our nation in regard to the beverage alcohol problem constitutes a major challenge against the church," she said. "If the Christian church was arraigned against alcohol, we could accomplish great things. The church must hold to her duty as she influences society today as in the past. Throughout civilization, drink has been the paramount instrument of human degradation. "Regrettably I say Ontario is becoming alcoholized at an alarming rate. More people are drinking today and they are drinking more. The government's liquor policy is the most colossal failure in the history of the Ontario legislation as far as the restriction of sales is concerned. Never was so much taken from so many with such disastrous effect. One third of the people drinking start to drink between the ages of 17 and 21. What shall it profit a nation if they lose a generation? A clergyman in Toronto thought it was a disgrace to have a hospital for alcoholics.
"We are charged with the responsibility of the failure of our fellow man. Jane Adams said, 'No woman's work is done until she makes the world safe for every mother's child.' Hold the line where you stand and be ready for the great following. Gen. Frost said the battle is won the day before. We as Christian workers are largely responsible for the youth of tomorrow. Just step in anywhere for there is fighting all along the line. If we do that, victory will be assured."

Newmarket Social News
—Mr. Herbert G. Bogart, Hill Lodge, Mich., has been visiting at the home of Mrs. Beatrice Brown and calling on old friends.
—Mr. and Mrs. Carl Archibald and family of Toronto visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Haaver last Saturday.
—Mr. and Mrs. Howard David, Peterboro, Mrs. Ernest Proctor, Toronto, Mr. and Mrs. John P. Scott, St. Catharines, were Sunday guests of Mrs. Nelson Scott.
—Mrs. O. K. Watson, London, England, arrived in Canada on the Empress of France to spend a holiday with her aunt, Mrs. A. Thompson, Victoria Ave.
—Mr. and Mrs. Dave Lyon attended the wedding of Mrs. Lyon's niece, Miss Lorna Smith, in Toronto on Saturday.
—Out-of-town guests attending the Watts-Price wedding on Sat- urday, June 4, were: Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Keller, Mr. Bill Keller and Mrs. R. Brown, Hill Lodge; Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Gosney, Barrie; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Price and Carol, Dunnville; Mrs. and Miss Marsden, Oakville; Mrs. Emma Clark and Mrs. Mary Mosley, Ajax; Mr. and Mrs. Bert Coles and Richard, Coles, Wil- lowdale; Rev. Fred Brecken, Mr. and Mrs. W. Graydon, Mrs. Ellis and Miss Shirley Strasser, Mrs. Elaine Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Price, Mr. Vern Clark, Mr. Frank Baile, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bolton, Mr. and Mrs. W. Price, Mr. C. B. Pearse, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Warren, Miss Rita Crowe and Miss Edith Hawland, Smith, Mr. Douglas Smith and Mrs. Rex Smith, Queensville, and Mr. Maurice Pike, Stouffville.


FORMERLY OF NKT.
GEALE HEWSON WED
In the Church of the Epi- phany, Sudbury, June 4, with Rev. Canon C. J. S. Stuart and Rev. F. F. Nock officiating, the marriage took place of Margaret Emily, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin F. Merwin, to Mr. Geale William Hewson, Sud- bury, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Hewson, Niagara-on-the-Lake, formerly of Newmarket. Mr. F. Menagh was at the organ.
The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore an original gown of petal white tulle and organdie. The decollete taffeta basque featured short sleeves and mandarin collar studded with tiny lilac blossoms, and the bouffant skirt, worn over a hoop, was made of layer on layer of nylon tulle splashed with a myriad of individual lilac blossoms. A cloche of organdie edged with lilac petals held her finger-tip veil, and she carried a prayer book. Miss Elizabeth Hewson and Miss Mary Jane Merwin, her attendants, chose daffodil yellow organdie gowns styled like that of the bride. The sleeves and mandarin collars were encrusted with lilac blossoms tinted to match the gowns, and the full flared organdie skirts over taffeta were formed by two complete circles. Their bonnet brims were edged with tinted lilac petals, and they carried round loose bouquets of white daisies. Mr. Donne Bosworth was groomsmen, and the ushers were Messrs. Ted Hewson, Jack Gwynne-Timothy, Ben Merwin Jr. and Lloyd Rose.
The reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. The couple will live in Sudbury.

ATTEND GRADUATION
Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Smith and Douglas, Queensville, attended the graduation exercises for the engineering class at Convocation Hall on Wednesday. Their son, Clare D. Smith, graduated in engineering and business and is taking a position with the A. V. Roe Co., Malton.

FIVE JOIN AUXILIARY
Aurora—The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary, branch 385, was held on Tues- day in the Legion hall. A large number attended and five more ladies joined.

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Parents Dominate Benny

Benny, seven years old, didn't have a chance to think for himself until baby sister Ruthie arrived to occupy some of his parents' time and thought. Before the arrival of Ruthie, Benny was the only child and his life was so controlled by his doting parents that by the time he was school age, he didn't have a thought of his own.

At school, it was hard to determine what was wrong with Benny. He wasn't like the other children and he wasn't popular with them. When he spoke to them, he spoke some superior language they didn't understand or appreciate coming from one of their own age. For instance, Benny, in an attempt to be friendly, would open a conversation: "I'm careful to keep my hands clean; yours are very dirty, you know."

"So what," was the usual answer and Benny was left alone, wondering why.

Parental influence dominated Benny's thoughts. His teacher received anything but childish answers to the questions she addressed to him. For example, the day she asked the class if they would like to go on a picnic the next day, instead of beaming with enthusiasm like the rest of the class, Benny, with a very serious expression, gave her a little dissertation on the subject: "You know, of course, it may rain tomorrow, in which case we would have to change our plans for a picnic. We must plan something to do in case it does rain."

Spoke As Adult

Benny was, seemingly, without natural childish enthusiasm. He expressed himself as an adult—simply repeating those ideas ex-

pressed at home. His teacher tried to help him play with the other children, but he just didn't fit in with their ideas of fun.

At last, baby sister Ruthie arrived and Benny was free to do some thinking on his own. It took some time for Benny to shake the shackles of too rigid parental control; but, gradually, he became a free thinker and his conversation became natural and acceptable to the boys and girls of his own age group.

It isn't the responsibility of parents and educators to control the lives of their proteges; but, rather, their duty to help them best live their lives as the individuals they are—help them develop to the extent of their capacities so that they can lead happy and useful lives in service to their communities.

BIRTHDAY CLUB

Birthday wishes are extended this week to:

Shirley Blanchard, Queensville, ten years old on Friday, June 3.

Betty and Billy Robinson, Newmarket, ten years old on Friday, June 3.

Arthur Douglas Vernon, R. R. 3, Newmarket, 16 years old on Friday, June 3.

Alfred Thomas Hart, Sydney, N.S., three years old on Friday, June 3.

John Leslie Shaw, Keswick, ten years old on Sunday, June 5.

Rose Marie Sytema, R. R. 3, Newmarket, eight years old on Sunday, June 5.

Bernard Joseph Hill, Pottageville, eight years old on Monday, June 6.

Sandra Gail Airaksinen, Toronto, eight years old on Monday, June 6.

Lorna Evans, Pottageville, 11 years old on Monday, June 6.

William Melvin MacMillan, Newmarket, five years old on Monday, June 6.

Maryline Cook, Pottageville, 12 years old on Tuesday, June 7.

Helen Marylene Shaw, Keswick, nine years old on Tuesday, June 7.

Lee Gould, Newmarket, three years old on Tuesday, June 7.

Wayne Curtis, Bradford, nine years old on Tuesday, June 7.

Ithea Hamilton, Schomberg, 11 years old on Wednesday, June 8.

George Gould, Schomberg, 11 years old on Thursday, June 9.

Georgina Rose, Brownhill, 15 years old on Thursday, June 9.

Billie Gordon, Keswick, seven years old on Thursday, June 9.

Send in your name, address, age and become a member of The Era and Express Birthday club.

ATTENDS WEDDING

Newmarket—Mrs. J. P. White attended the wedding of her niece, Marion Arlene Green, daughter of Mrs. Green and the late Francis John Green, to Mr. R. H. Downey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Downey, Port Hope, at St. Thomas Anglican church, Brantford, on Saturday, June 4, at 4 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Lloyd, Humber Bay, were visiting Mrs. Lloyd's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Beaudoin, Sunday.

IT'S A Woman's World

BY CAROLINE E. ION

Vacation time—books—reading—sounds wonderful, doesn't it? And believe it or not, holiday time has actually arrived. Well, perhaps not for you, but it has for us. While you toil at your daily tasks, visualize us reclining in the shade (probably being devoured by black flies) with that inevitable book. Of course your turn will come shortly. You can wave gaily at us as you pass on the way to Lake Simcoe and see us trying to undo the havoc of a two weeks' absence from the garden.

Amid all the hectic preparations, one would think we were going away for at least six months, there has been the happy anticipation that at last we shall be able to relax and enjoy some good books. Christopher Morley told of the pleasures of reading when he wrote, "When you sell a man a book you don't sell him just 12 ounces of paper and ink and glue—you sell him a whole new life. Love and friendship and humor and ships at sea by night—there's all heaven and earth in a book, a real book, I mean."

Reading as a pastime is unique in that it requires no expensive equipment, no partners, no physical endurance, and it offers something to everyone. As to what to read, there are as many answers as there are persons and occasions. Some famous men have chosen the dictionary to read from cover to cover. Of this book Bill Nye has said, "It hasn't much plot, but the author's vocabulary is wonderful."

What part is Canada playing in the field of literature today? It is reported in a recent monthly letter published by the Royal Bank of Canada that 100 works of general literature are being published in our country annually. "Sometimes Canadian books outsell imports in the home market. An example of this is 'The Owl Pen' by Kenneth McNeill Wells. This story of his experiences as a newspaperman who turned small farmer led the sale of non-fiction in Canada for four consecutive months."

"Canada rose to new prominence during the Second World War, and Canadians gained confidence in themselves in all fields, including that of literature. Writers here got very little help from anyone. The Governor-General's Annual Literary Awards bring honor to the winners, but no cash reward. There are no fellowships, nor grants, nor even much encouragement."

"For many years Canadian writers have been climbing a long uphill path to recognition, and in some cases fame. In 1927, when Mazo de la Roche won the \$10,000 Atlantic Monthly Prize with her novel Jalna, the achievement was so sensational for a Canadian writer that the city of Toronto gave her a public banquet. In later years, honors were more usual. . . Gwethalyn Graham's 'Earth and High Heaven' is circulating in ten languages other than English. Gabrielle Roy, a native of St. Boniface, Man., was elected a member of the Royal Society of Canada, and her novel 'The Tin Flute', won the Prix Femina Vie Heureuse (Paris) for the year's most distinguished novel by a woman. Bruce Hutchison's 'The Unknown Country' and Hugh MacLennan's 'Two Solitudes' entered best-sellerdom at home and received acclaim abroad."

"It may seem mundane to drag the matter of dollars and cents into the sacred halls of literature, but besides the prestige that Canadian writers win for Canada they also bring in handsome sums of United States dollars. Unlike other exporters, they do not have to send away our physical resources."

THE HOMEMAKERS

Salads: Picture of Coolness

A successful salad presents a picture; crisp, cold and colorful, suggesting the coolness of a dewy morning on the most sultry summer day. Salads usually have as their basis green leaf lettuce. The average garden offers several other greens which add texture and flavor. These are spinach, chard, parsley, nasturtium leaves and the young tops of beets.

Sometimes shredded greens are a more interesting background than the whole leaves. Roll several leaves into a tight roll and slice crosswise in thin slices to make fine, even shreds. Jellyed meat loaf is one way of using the end of Sunday's roast. Cottage cheese is an excellent choice for the more substantial summer salad. On simple salads keep the dressing fresh and tangy rather than rich.

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LADIES MEET

Newmarket — The regular monthly meeting of the Junior Ladies' Aid of the Christian Baptist church will be held on Tuesday, June 14, at 8 p.m., at the home of Mrs. Wm. Andrews, Main St. Guest speaker, Miss Audrey Lundy.

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SNOWBALL

Mrs. Frank Hollingshead spent several days in Toronto this week.

Mr. Lorne Graham accompanied Mrs. Farren, Sr., and her grandchildren, Marie and Karen, to Orillia for the weekend.

A number of Snowball residents visited a former neighbor, Mrs. Margaret Lapp, who celebrated her 86th birthday at the home of her granddaughter, Mrs. Delbert Gibney, Newmarket.

Mr. and Mrs. John Alleyne, Queensville, visited their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Herb. Patrick, Sunday.

The service at Snowball United church next Sunday, June 12, will be held at 7.30 p.m. with the Baker Hill Ladies' choir as guests.

Sunday-school will be at 10.45 a.m. as usual.

Five ladies from the Snowball W.I. attended the D.A. convention at Queensville, June 6.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Reddick were Sunday guests of Mr. Reddick's brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Reddick.

Mrs. Holles, Newmarket, visited her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Art Evans, and family Sunday.

Baptist Mission Circle Marks 25th Anniversary

Pottsville — The 25th anniversary of the Baptist Mission Circle was celebrated at the home of Mrs. Ward Cook last Thursday. There were 55 to 60 members and friends present, some of whom were members at the first meeting 25 years ago.

Mrs. Hardy, a former minister's wife, expressed her very great pleasure to be back with so many friends of the past.

Mrs. Jones was the guest speaker from Toronto. She gave a very interesting talk on missions. Mrs. Marsh was another of the many welcomed members. A very delightful supper was served on the lawn. Two beautifully decorated cakes were enjoyed by all.

Curious About Blooms

It will be interesting to see the blossoms on the "Night Blooming Cereus" at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clare Shaw. This plant has blossomed before but the most it has had at one time were four blooms, but this time there will be at least ten. Each blossom

measures from four to seven inches across and is soft waxy white with slender, graceful pointed petals. The under petals are faintly tinged with shadowy lavender. The fragrance of one blossom will perfume a considerable area.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Snider, Toledo, Ohio, who are honeymooning at the summer home of Mr. Snider's parents, Mr. and

Mrs. Leslie Snider, Toronto, were serenaded on Saturday by a few of their close friends.

Mr. and Mrs. George West spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. George Burt-Gerrans.

PLEASANTVILLE

Started hayting on Monday, June 6, at Starr Elm Farm. Never had such a crop in 50 years. Average around four acres to load.

MORE GARDENS



There are so many, many lovely gardens in and around town that you don't know where to start to tell about them. You can't begin to tell about all you would like to in one short column, so suppose I just tell of a few outstanding things I have noticed.

Mr. and Mrs. Patrick and Mr. and Mrs. Walls have gone to a tremendous lot of trouble to make gardens on the hill sloping down to Prospect St. to the eastern fence of the Office Specialty property. We should hand both couples an orchid for accomplishment. Mrs. Patrick's, especially, is a wonderful garden, but she has had several years' start on Mrs. Walls', so if Mrs. Walls keeps on, her garden presently will reach the Specialty fence too, with a rockery garden like Mrs. Patrick's.

Mr. and Mrs. Walls have their garden under cultivation, but anytime a really bad storm comes along it is liable to land everything in one grand heap at the bottom of the garden. Mrs. Patrick has hers laid out with a stairway running down the steepest part, then horizontal paths across with the garden beds in terraces, built up with high stones and cement with redum and other rocky plants, especially "hen and chickens" in the crevices.

What I say for Mrs. Patrick's rockery garden I say for Mrs. Walls', as far as she has hers done. They're beautiful, but I hear they were still more beautiful when the tulips were in flower. The white, mauve, yellow and pink rocky flowers, I still can't recall the name of those low-growing flowers, that I told you about in Mrs. Kidd's garden were also there, flowering in gorgeous profusion. I looked across from Mr. Charles McCauley's garden on Main St. and you could see a mass of color, pink and gold and white. With iris, peonies and annuals coming on there will be bloom till snow flies.

This is a wonderful year for pansies. I told about the lovely pansies up at Mrs. Kidd's—and Mrs. Patrick and Mrs. Walls had beauties too, also little Johnny-jump-ups and violas. I have seen other beds of pansies, one on Joseph St., belonging to Mr. Tice; later, his tuberous begonias will be marvellous the same as other years. Mrs. Noble has some lovely pansies too, and Miss Barker and her brother, both along Millard Ave. Mr. Aubrey Davis' bridal wreath will be magnificent today for the garden tea.

I also saw lovely gardens, glimpsed through the open garden gates at Miss Holladay's and Mrs. Jack Stephenson's. And I was given a lovely bouquet of tulips from Mr. Ted Streeter's garden, and earlier on one from Mr. Jack Wright's at the north end. Mr. Wright had iris planted in alternate rows with the tulips. They were full of buds, so he would have a succession of bloom and again for later on a flourishing bed of Madonna lilies. Mrs. Streeter's garden, like Mrs. Patrick's, is on the slope of the hill but away to the south end of the town. It is just south of Mr. Denison's and the late Mr. Clement King's and has a wonderful view of the town. Another thing that fastened itself in my memory was a row of handsome lemon lilies all out in full bloom around the bay window to the south of Mrs. Will Rosamond's home on Botsford St. Another was a perfect picture, a double white lilac in Mrs. Charles Willis' garden.

My pen failed when I tried to describe Kidd's garden last week and express even a small portion of my delight. I still can see it in memory, such color can't be described and those tulips were a mazing. On an English calendar, a "Merrie England" one sent to me at Christmas, the picture for May was "Tulips at Spalding, Lincolnshire" and the verse, "Was ever scene so decked with flowers? Rows and rows of tulips were all in full bloom with a village church and houses for background, and as I looked at it I thought it was the nearest thing I'd seen to compare with the beauties in Mrs. Kidd's garden, thousands of tulips, all colors, I haven't said half the things I wanted to about all the lovely gardens in

Major Details of

The Progressive Conservative Party's Declaration of Policy—Drafted and Approved by Canadians from every Province—Representing Every walk of Life



George Drew

It expressed the unanimous opinion of delegates from every province who met in Ottawa from September 30th to October 2nd last year.

Details are embraced by the three words which interpret the purpose of the undertaking we give to Canadians: *Opportunity, Security, Freedom*. Those words constitute no meaningless, time-worn slogan. They represent the broad purpose of a dynamic and progressive plan of action which we have placed before you as a convincing reason why you should support the Progressive Conservative candidate in your own constituency, no matter what party you have supported in the past.

OPPORTUNITY

First let me refer to the word "opportunity." The Progressive Conservative Party will assure opportunity to all our people by:

A bold and progressive national development programme

Canada is on the threshold of her greatest period of development. If a vigorous government, with faith in the future is given the opportunity to bring into production the immense resources which we possess in every part of Canada. While the vast areas of the North challenge our vision and our courage, there is no part of Canada where there are not new opportunities of development if we provide the electric energy and other sources of power which will encourage new industries and new types of agricultural production which can make every part of Canada more productive in the years ahead.

Our national development programme will cover the development of power, oil, coal, mineral resources and the transportation facilities necessary for their full use. In particular we will establish (a) a National Development Advisory Council in co-operation with the provinces; (b) establish a National Power Authority to co-operate with the provinces in the technical examination of possible power development and in the actual development of electric power at cost; (c) undertake the commencement of a joint conservation, irrigation and power project on the Saskatchewan River; (d) encourage the development of power in the Maritime Provinces from coal as well as by other means; (e) promote the development of the great iron ore resources of our country and the establishment of greatly expanded steel industry within Canada; (f) stimulate the development of petroleum and other mineral resources in co-operation with the provinces by taxation and fiscal policies which will encourage the investment of risk capital; (g) institute a vigorous programme of water conservation, reclamation, flood control, irrigation and drainage schemes throughout the whole of Canada for the reclamation of unproductive land and the preservation of our soil, and along with other similar activities in co-operation with the provincial governments; (h) establish a positive programme of marshland reclamation and development; (i) take effective steps at the earliest possible date to co-operate with the provincial governments in building the Trans-Canada Highway and feeder roads, which will not only greatly increase our transportation facilities, but also help to open out the vast possibilities of the tourist business in every part of Canada; (j) remove the discrimination in freight rates between the several geographical areas of Canada so that all sections of our country may receive the full benefit from the development of our great resources; (k) deal effectively with the special transportation problem of Prince Edward Island, Newfoundland, Cape Breton and Vancouver Island; (l) take the necessary steps to proceed with the development of the power and waterways project on the St. Lawrence River.

Expansion of trade

The ultimate value of all our development depends upon the distribution and sale of what we produce. Because of our tremendous producing capacity we are one of the world's great exporters. The external market for our surplus products contribute very largely to the pay envelopes which buy the food, clothing and other necessities in every Canadian home. Look around you in your own home now. The things you have depend upon that overseas trade, no matter what your occupation may be. Overseas markets have been lost, and our trade is dangerously threatened by the government's foolish trade and

monetary policy. As our trade with Britain and other overseas markets are lost, Canadians are being reassured by the volume of our exports to the United States. We believe in increasing our exports to the United States to the highest possible level. We believe that all Canada's exports can be, and should be, tremendously increased. We know, however, that disastrous results would follow any attempt to depend exclusively upon exports to one nation no matter how friendly that nation may be. The loss of our trade in wheat, lumber, fish, apples, dairy products and the other things that we have been shipping overseas means more than a mere question of dollars and cents. It means a loss of business on the railways, in the seaports, and on the ships which have been carrying this trade to the world. It would dislocate the whole internal trading organization and force serious readjustments of employment with our railways and other transportation services. The Progressive Conservative Party pledges itself to adopt every practical means to expand our internal trade with the United States and with all other nations where we can sell what we produce. By reciprocal trade agreements we will promote and expand our trade overseas and also with the United States. Particularly we will (a) remove all abnormal trade barriers imposed by way of license, quota, or embargo; (b) remove the arbitrary provisions of the Foreign Exchange Control Act; (c) re-evaluate the Canadian dollar within the limits permitted by the Bretton Woods agreement and seek such modification of those agreements as are necessary to permit our dollar to assist our external trade in the normal way; (d) open negotiations immediately for the purpose of making the dollar and pound convertible, so that we may open and expand our lost overseas markets in the sterling area.

Reduction of Taxes

The greatest encouragement to work, production and trade is the opportunity to receive a fair return from which money can be saved for our families, our homes and our vision for the future. Even with high earnings today, our present tax system is making it difficult to save and is greatly increasing the cost of everything we buy. Reduction of taxes and sweeping reforms in our system of taxation are necessary to encourage initiative and reward hard work. With that in mind, the Progressive Conservative Party has undertaken to: (a) increase the personal income tax exemption to at least \$2,500 for a married person, and to at least \$1,250 for single persons; (b) increase the exemption for dependent children by \$200; (c) lower the general rate of personal income tax; (d) allow deductions to farmers for work done by members of the family who share the work of the farm; (e) and the persecution of our people by tax-collectors acting under arbitrary power; (f) encourage development and improvement of small businesses operated by the owner by allowing proper exemption for money which is put into the improvement of the business and not paid out in profits; (g) provide for a graduated reduction in taxes on other small businesses upon the portion of the income left in the business for further development and consequently for the increase of employment; (h) abolish nuisance taxes and make substantial reductions in general sales and excise taxes on necessities.

SECURITY

The Progressive Conservative Party assures security to all Canadians by the following Declaration of Policy.

Security of Employment

We believe that the greatest assurance of employment in Canada is based upon the fullest development of our resources which will create new employment across the whole country and increase the

domestic markets for all that we produce. In addition to the discovery and employment of new resources, the remarkable scientific developments of the past few years have greatly widened the use we can make of all the resources we possess. In co-operation with the various provincial governments we will explore every possibility of expanding the opportunities for work by encouraging new types of production.

Contributory Social Security Programme

The Progressive Conservative Party will establish a contributory social security programme providing the following benefits amongst others:

1. Believing that provision for our senior citizens at a level of payment which will give them a feeling of independence in their retiring years is essential, we have stated that we do not believe that old-age pensions should be regarded as a right, but should be made on such property as has been saved during their working years, nor should there be any enquiry as to whether some money is being earned by the person receiving the pension. We believe that the laws of the country should not be so drafted as to penalize the working years and such work as our people wish to do in their old age. For that reason we provide for old-age pensions at 65 without a Means Test.

2. Unemployment Insurance benefits will be extended to include payments for time lost due to accident or sickness.

3. Adequate medical and hospital care will be provided for our people under a national health programme which will also include the most extensive preventive health services.

4. The same family allowance will be paid for every child, no matter how many children are in the family, and the nutritional and other services for our children will be greatly improved.

These, and other provisions included in our programme, will be worked out in co-operation with the provinces, so that the highly-skilled and experienced public welfare services of the provincial governments will be available.

An Effective Programme for the Construction of Homes

1. Loans and priorities will be made available to the whole country to build their own homes. 2. Low-cost housing can, and will be provided under plans approved by the dominion, provincial and municipal governments which will be administered by the municipalities. 3. The cost of building homes can be reduced by encouraging new types of construction. What is causing so much concern to our people at present is not only the shortage of housing accommodation, but also the excessive cost of small homes, particularly those required by our young people starting out in life. In this respect I might point out that while I was Premier of Ontario we introduced a Housing Act in regard to which the official publication of the Canadian Legion had the following to say and I quote from their editorial: "Veterans everywhere will acclaim the new housing legislation recently enacted in the province of Ontario. In this new government is blazing new trails, out of which might materialize the long-awaited, overall plan for the successful solution of the housing problem in every part of the dominion, which the Legion has been pressing for so hard ever since the war ended." The effect and application of this Act was necessarily limited by the overriding authority of the dominion government, which restricted supplies for building homes by their restrictive regulations. We will remove these restrictions and the principles of that Act to which I have referred can be made effective in the wider

field by constitutional agreement between the dominion, provincial and municipal authorities who must all play their part in solving this very urgent problem.

Security for our Farmers

Our programme sets out a very complete statement of policy in regard to stability of income for our farmers. I will refer to some of the more important provisions: 1. We undertake to enact floor-price legislation based on the following principles: (a) A definite formula in the Farm Prices Support Act for arriving at floor prices. (b) This formula will allow for variation in production and demand for individual products. (c) Floor prices will be announced well in advance of the production period. (d) The floor price will be arrived at in consultation with representative producers. We favour the restoration of the Canadian Wheat Board Act of 1935 to serve as a marketing agency for wheat producers. We are in favour of raising prices as well as wheat being handled on a voluntary basis by the Wheat Board. We assure that producers themselves will decide the method by which their wheat will be handled and sold. This statement of policy, and it is an emphatic statement of policy, is based upon our belief that market forces, representative of producer organizations, should, and will, determine their own method of marketing. The Wheat Board and all similar producers' boards, will be made up of producers themselves and not be mere agencies of some department of government.

5. We will increase the facilities for agricultural research to explore new uses of agricultural products for industrial purposes, and in co-operation with provincial Departments of Agriculture conduct thorough studies of contagious animal and plant diseases to reduce the heavy annual loss from this cause.

6. In determining agricultural policy, we will enlist the co-operation of farmers' organizations throughout Canada and those provinces in particular where production is so vital to the national production, so that all administrative as well as advisory boards will have representation of those with expert knowledge of the subject upon which they will be asked to deal. These and the other provisions in our agricultural programme are all based upon the belief that the best interests of agriculture throughout Canada can be best served under the guidance of those with practical knowledge of each agricultural activity.

4. We will extend the activities of the Federal Farm Loan Board so that farmers may take advantage of long-term, low-interest rates in the purchase and development of their farms.

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Security for Labour

(a) Our national development programme, our proposed tax reform and our plans for the expansion of trade offer the assurance of expanding employment in the years ahead. Good working conditions and satisfactory terms of employment must be assured first by effective laws governing labour relations. In the field of national jurisdiction, the Progressive Conservative Party puts forward a policy based upon the belief that good working conditions for our people and friendly relations between workers and management are vital to the best interests of our workers, but also in the best interests of every Canadian. We believe that the position of labour must be constantly improved and that the security and happiness of all our workers must be protected by legislation which will provide for effective collective bargaining, determination of the mutual rights of workers and management, as well as the conciliation and settlement of difficulties which may arise. With this object in view, we will establish a National Labour Council which will have equal num-

bers of representatives of labour and management. This council will examine and consider the causes of labour disputes and propose satisfactory solutions for such problems. It will also conduct research into the ways in which labour relations can constantly be improved.

(b) We will provide for greater representation of labour on government boards, commissions, and agencies.

(c) We will encourage profit-sharing plans for the sharing of profits of workers by such adjustment in taxation and otherwise as will encourage plans of this kind.

(d) We will constantly improve the legislation providing for compulsory collective bargaining, certification of labour organizations after a majority vote, machinery for conciliation of disputes, fair and adequate wages, standard hours of work having regard to the nature of the industry concerned, and holidays with pay.

We have also an excellent programme for Security for Veterans

We believe that the government of Canada has no greater responsibility than to make adequate provision for the young men and women who served Canada in two world wars. Our Party has at all times insisted that the promises made during the war to those in service should be carried out in the spirit as well as the letter of the assurances which were given. Our programme therefore gives the following undertakings to our veterans:

(a) To establish a standing committee of the House of Commons on Veterans' Affairs which will regularly review all veterans' problems;

(b) to retain and constantly improve all existing veteran legislation;

(c) to eliminate all unnecessary delays in dealing with veterans and to simplify procedure;

(d) to extend pension benefits to the members of the merchant navy; (e) to accept as the basis for all decisions the medical category recorded on enlistment and to regard physical condition below that standard during service as the actual result of military service;

(f) to stabilize the pensions of veterans of the First World War, providing for upward revision where the disability has increased;

(g) to increase and extend the provision of war veterans' allowances which will increase the amount that a veteran may earn over and above the allowance paid.

FREEDOM

Our constitutional freedom is based upon the democratic principle that the people's chosen representatives in Parliament are supreme, and have the final responsibility for all laws which affect the rights of our people. This principle is the cornerstone of all our freedom. The Progressive Conservative Party pledges itself to put and end to statism in Canada and terminate bureaucratic action by government order-in-council, ministerial proclamation, and departmental regulation. We will restore responsible government answerable to the elected representatives of the people. We believe in the widest possible measure of personal liberty consistent with law, order and the general national welfare. We are opposed to all powers which invest in the government arbitrary control over the rights of the individual. We pledge ourselves to restore the full supremacy of the law and the equality of every citizen under the law. We believe that the closer government is to the people, the better government always is. We are determined to conceive the authority of the provincial and municipal governments over those local affairs which can best be dealt with by men and women who are in intimate contact with them. We are strongly opposed to centralization of legislative and administrative power over local affairs, and to any breach of the constitutional

authority of any of the provinces under the British North America Act which made us one nation. On assuming office we will arrange for a dominion-provincial conference to consider all aspects of dominion-provincial relations and establish an effective basis for close and continuing co-operation between all the governments of Canada. We believe that national unity depends upon respect for our federal constitution and the clear definition of the responsibility of the dominion and provincial governments, with assurance of adequate financial resources to carry out those responsibilities and with adequate financial resources to the municipalities to carry out their many very important responsibilities. In preserving our freedom it is essential that freedom of speech be fully protected. For that reason, it must be a matter of concern to all Canadians that the government-owned radio system which plays such an important role in the exchange of ideas should have become a propaganda agency of the government. May I emphasize that in my belief the staff and technical experts of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation are trying to do a good job under utterly impossible conditions. As you know, any attempt on the part of the employees of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation to improve the organization only results in immediate disciplinary action. The summary dismissal, for instance, of Mr. Joel Aldred, one of the best known broadcasters of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation just the day before Parliament dissolved, because he had publicly suggested improvements within the organization, is merely an indication of the extent to which free speech is being restrained by the present government. We undertake to restore freedom of speech over the radio as well as otherwise, and to place the supervision of all broadcasting in Canada under an independent administrative body. We further undertake to abolish the license fee on radio receiving sets. We do this because this license fee, which is supposed to be for the services given by the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation, is unjustified because there are many parts of Canada where our people receive no services from the publicly-owned stations. All our freedom and all our security depend upon our national security and independence. For that reason, one of the first resolutions adopted unanimously by our delegates from every province last October, was an expression of unqualified support for the establishment of a defensive union of the Western Powers, which has since taken form in the North Atlantic Security Pact. Our support of that policy has at all times been stated in the same words and with the same emphasis in every part of Canada. The collective preservation of peace and the combined strength of the free nations now gives increased importance to national defence and the efficiency of our defence forces. We undertake to set up a standing committee on national defence which will keep Parliament and the people informed regarding the state of our defences and will also assure the most effective use of the money we spend for the purpose of providing defence forces.


The points I have covered in these remarks are only some of the progressive, practical and constructive policies which will be put into effect by a Progressive Conservative government. I believe this statement will provide convincing reasons why you should cast your ballot on June 27th for the Progressive Conservative candidate in your own constituency so that the public business of this great country will be handled by a strong, vigorous and progressive government in the years ahead.

George Drew

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News of the W.I. In North York

News for this column must be in the office Monday night. Copy must be written as briefly as possible and confined to news and reports. Other than routine reports and announcements will be printed separately.

Pine Orchard branch will meet at the home of Mrs. Albert Boake on Wednesday afternoon, June 15, at 2.30 o'clock. Report of district annual will be given by delegates. Program will be in charge of citizenship committee of Mrs. E. Johnson, Mrs. Henry, Mrs. M. McMillen, Mrs. Rae McClure, Mrs. W. Johnson and Mrs. A. Boake. Roll call is to name an educational radio program. Paper, "Development of Democratic Citizen," by Mrs. Walter Johnson. A musical contest and music by Miriam and Patsy Boake.

The Vandorf branch regular monthly meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. C. Powell Wednesday, June 15, at 2.30 o'clock. Topic will be the reports of the district annual. Roll call is to be answered by "Sing, say, or pay." Current events will be given by Mrs. H. Sleeth. Hostesses are Mrs. J. Wright, Mrs. H. Sleeth and Mrs. H. White.

Pictures will be shown by the National Film Board and sponsored by the Women's Institute at Vandorf hall Thursday evening, June 16. Ice cream and pop will be for sale. A good ball game is scheduled for this night between Willow Beach and Vandorf. Come everyone for a good evening.

As guests of Mrs. Col. Dunham, Yonge St., the regular meeting of the Newmarket branch will be held on Thursday, June 16. A good program is being provided by Mrs. Geo. Luesby, Sr., and her group. A good attendance is requested.

The June meeting of the Elmhurst branch was held at the summer home, "Capistrano," of Mrs. C. Hodgkin. It was a very good meeting with 23 members and three guests present. Mrs. Williams took the chair in the absence of Mrs. J. Clark. The roll was "What is your favorite water sport?"

The ladies are going to enter the Sutton Fair and try their luck with the pies, cakes, etc. A vote of thanks was given to Mrs. Williams and Audrey Sedore for their good work with the sewing class at Jersey school. The garden party was cancelled, the ladies deciding each member give a donation instead, the money to be in by the September meeting. We are to have the Keswick ladies give their play in Elmhurst hall in June, half the proceeds to go to our Institute.

Mrs. Fowlson, one of the new members, kindly donated a table cloth to take chances on. The ladies are planning a bus trip in the fall.

Mrs. Lunn is delegate to the Queensville convention, and we expect some of the members will attend. A paper on social welfare was given by Mrs. Lunn. It was entitled, "Public Welfare in Ontario." She said the welfare and security of all the citizens of Ontario is of great importance to the government. Thus they have many branches for helping needy persons, such as the old-age pension, Mother's Allowance Act, Soldiers' Aid Commission and Unemployment Relief, homes for the aged, Child Welfare and many others.

A vote of thanks was then given to Mrs. C. Hodgkin for the use of her home.

The regularly meeting of the Belhaven branch will meet at the home of Mrs. Harry Horner on Tuesday afternoon, June 14, at 2.30. The topic under discussion will be Agriculture. Mrs. Ross Folkeard is convener for the program. Each member is invited to donate a dollar toward the fund at this meeting. Hostesses are Mrs. Lockie, Miss Main and Mrs. H. Horner. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

On Wednesday afternoon, June 1, at the home of Mrs. Harold Boyd, Sharon, over 20 members of Bogartown Institute enjoyed the hospitality of Sharon. A splendid program was presented by Bogartown members.

At the home of Mrs. Roy Hobson, Keswick, on May 31, the Lakeside branch held an interesting and profitable meeting. The roll call was answered by paying of fees. The co-operative program was reviewed and a first and second course selected. Delegates chosen to attend the district annual were Mrs. Paul Dolan, Mrs. Winston Prosser, Mrs. Percy Mahoney.

The regular program opened with the singing of the Institute rally song. Mrs. Murville Connell, accompanist. Following the music a current event entitled "Just Neighborliness" was read by Miss Eva Gilroy.

There was no lack of variety in pineapple and rhubarb recipes given by all members present. The prize-winner in an entertaining contest, conducted by Mrs. Leslie Morton, was Mrs. Daniel McGenerty.

The next meeting is to be held June 28 at the home of Mrs. John Hopkins. Members are looking forward to a demonstration of bandaging in charge of Miss Eva Gilroy.

The regular meeting of the Union Street branch was held at the home of Mrs. Titus Peregrine on Wednesday, June 1, with 30 ladies present. Further plans for the olde-tyme strawberry festival to be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Irvine Rose on Wednesday, June 29, were discussed and also a bus trip to Midland early in July. Mrs. David English, program convener, was responsible for an outstanding program and had as her speaker, Mrs. Sydney Thompson of Queensville, who gave an excellent paper on Home Economics. A poem, "I Love a House," was read by Mrs. Archie Sedore and a paper on health describing the cancer

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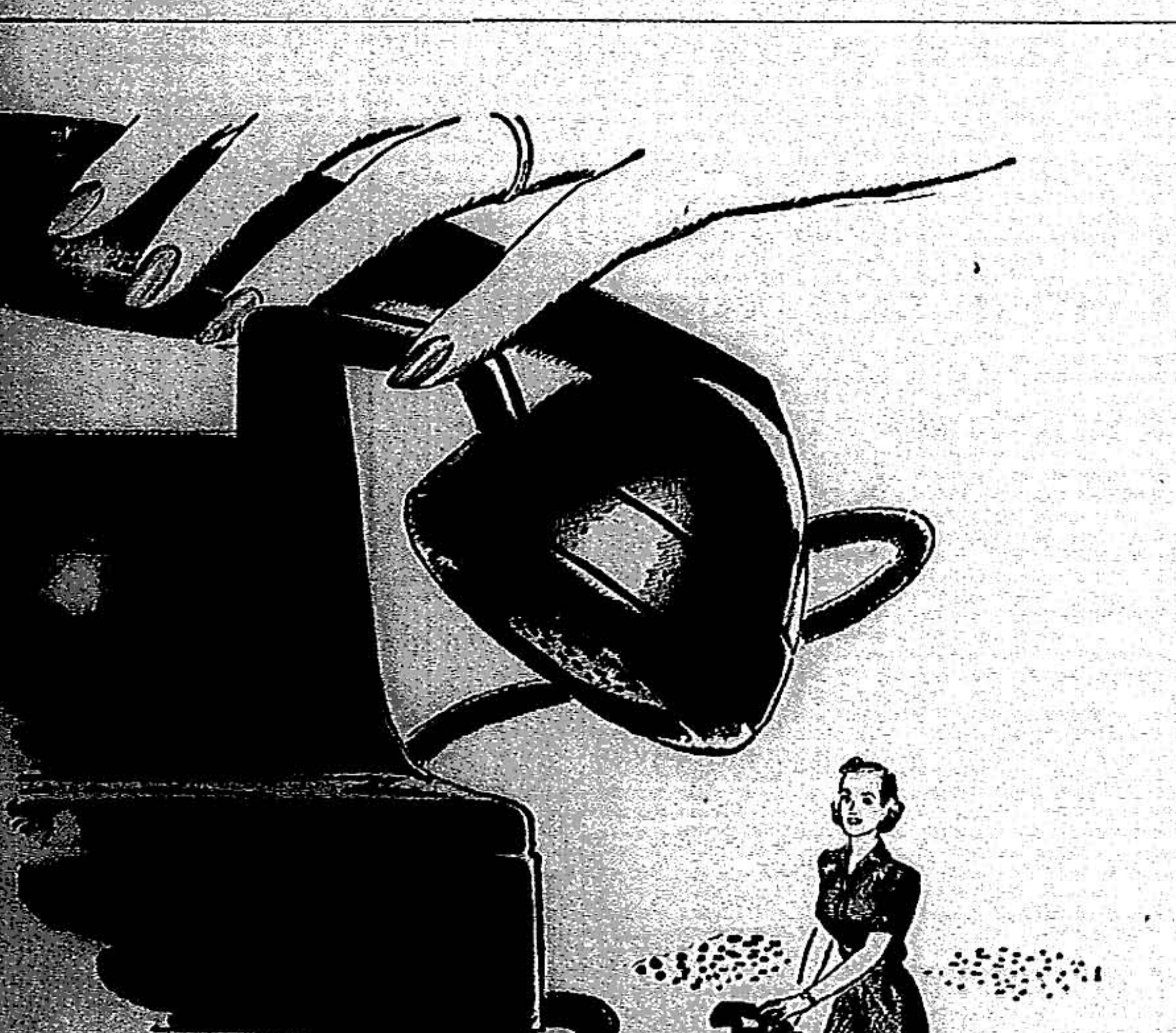
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Mr. and Mrs. Allan Clawson and Miss Alma Burkholder of Stouffville were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. R. Chapman.

Willing Workers

Willing Workers meeting was well attended at the home of Mrs. James Hope on Tuesday afternoon, May 31. Meeting opened with the president in charge. Mrs. F. Sheridan offered prayer and Mrs. G. McClure and Mrs. Frank Williams read Scripture readings. Excellent reading, "Growth of Seeds," by Mrs. C. Johnson. Mrs. McClure conducted a Bible quiz on the Book of Peter. Mrs. J. Hope closed the meeting with prayer. Lunch was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. R. Chapman.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Armitage and Mr. Harry Armitage attended the York County Hog Producers' field day and picnic at Leitchcroft Farms, Gormley, on Wednesday, June 1.

Mrs. Douglas Hope and Miss Lois Brilling attended the Junior Farmers' banquet at Newmarket on Thursday evening, June 2. Congratulations to Mr. William Dike on winning the C.N.E. trophy for stock judging at Junior Farmers' Field Day. He also was placed fifth in cash prizes.

A number of school children and teachers, Mr. L. Heaslip and Miss B. Hope, also parents spent June 4 at Niagara Falls via Hollinger chartered bus.

Mr. Harold Moddle delivered a splendid sermon on "The Transfiguration" on Sunday, June 5, at Union church.

Church service is held at 11 a.m. and Sunday-school at 10 a.m. for summer months.

Young People's will meet for softball practice on Friday evening, June 10, followed by a half-hour devotional period at church.

Mr. and Mrs. William Collins, Newmarket, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. Armitage.

Mr. and Mrs. Colin Widdifield, Newmarket, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. R. Allen and Miss Aleta Widdifield.

VISIT "THE FALLS"

Aurora—The entrance class of Aurora public school made its annual trip by chartered bus to Niagara Falls on Friday, June 3. Accompanying them was their principal, F. D. Babcock, and Miss Isabel Hayes. The children all reported having a good time.

LANGMAN PROMOTED

Aurora — Following a report by the police commission, the Aurora council Monday evening approved the appointment of Constable William Langman to Constable First Class.

clique at Women's College hospital, Toronto, and the steps taken in the checking and testing for cancer was read by Mrs. Frank Perry.

A reading entitled, "Living Other People's Lives," was given by Mrs. David English. Mrs. S. Thompson was the winner of a contest conducted by Mrs. A. Sedore and Mrs. D. English. The hostesses, Mrs. L. Rose, Mrs. W. Cryderman, Mrs. F. Graham and Mrs. D. Beckett served delicious refreshments at the close of the meeting.

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W.I. Annual Hailed As Grand Success

Queensville—The district annual of the Women's Institute was held in Queensville United church, Monday, June 6, with over 200 ladies in attendance, representing 24 different branches of North York.

Letters of thanks were read from the Western hospital and the Children's Aid Society. Wonderful papers were given on agriculture, home economics, social welfare, historical research and citizenship.

Miss Anna Lewis said the North York district was the largest and the most prosperous district and a smaller district would be better. A movement was passed that we be divided. An enjoyable address was also given by Mrs. A. E. Kennedy, provincial director of Agincourt. The short course selected will be "Health before and after 40." Officers for the year were appointed and splendid numbers were given by the Queensville Junior choir, and by Mr. Harris pupils.

The ladies of the Queensville W.I. wish to thank all those who contributed and helped to make this day a grand success.

Mrs. Angus King Mourned By All Who Knew Her

Keswick—The community was shocked at the sudden death early Sunday morning of Mrs. Angus King, formerly Mary Morton, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Ira Morton, Keswick.

She had lived in Keswick until her marriage when they moved to the King farm near Belhaven and later built a new home at Keswick where she passed away.

She was a member of the former Methodist church here, a devoted mother and wife and a kind, thoughtful friend. She will be sadly missed.

Mrs. Morton leaves her husband, three sons, Harvie, in Toronto, Norman at Belhaven, Elmer, Keswick, and one daughter, Gladys (Mrs. G. Smalley), Mount Albert. Attending the funeral were her brothers, Mr. John Morton, Toronto, Rev. R. E. Morton, at present at Peterboro, Ernest and William, Newmarket, and Norman, Thornhill. The service led by Rev. Nickol, Sutton, was at the Strasser Funeral Parlors, Queensville, and was attended by a large crowd. The profusion of flowers testified to the high esteem in which the family is held. Interment was in Queensville where Mr. King's mother was laid to rest just a couple of weeks previous. The family has our sympathy. The King sisters gave a lovely and comforting duet at the service.

Mrs. Ted Bothwell, Toronto, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Hamilton, Orchard Beach. Mr. Bothwell has gone to Port Arthur for a summer position after passing his third year in forestry.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Pollock and Mr. and Mrs. Merville Connell attended the wedding of Mr. James Pedlar, formerly of Keswick, in Toronto Friday night.

Mrs. J. W. Knight, Bowmanville, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. R. Metcalfe. Other guests at the Metcalfe home on Friday were Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Metcalfe, Grant Bennett and Mrs. Carmen, all of Bowmanville.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Hamilton are staying with their daughter, Mrs. V. Acheson.

Mrs. Etta Wilder attended the W.C.T.U. convention in Kingston last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Taylor, Miss Shirley Taylor and a girl friend of Toronto were Sunday guests of Miss Bessie Terry.

The W.C.T.U. will meet at the home of Mrs. R. Hobson, June 14.

Miss K. Peel was at home for the weekend. The Peel's have moved to their new home opposite their office.

Miss Roslyn van Norman spent the weekend in Toronto.

The W.M.S. societies of the district attended a meeting at Lady Eaton's estate in King on Wednesday afternoon.

Judge and Mrs. Brock Currey, Manitoulin Island, and Mr. and Mrs. John Currey, Toronto, spent Sunday at Mr. and Mrs. Harry Leppard's.

Miss Doreen and Miss Olive Niles, Toronto, were home for the weekend.

Mrs. Harold Waldon and John, Toronto, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. I. Waldon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Grant, Detroit, spent last weekend with his brother, Mr. Cecil Grant, and Mrs. Grant.

Congratulations are extended to Mr. Gordon Winch who has passed his exams at Toronto University.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Beare, Hanover, visited her sister, Mrs. I. Waldon, and Mr. Waldon on Sunday.

MOUNT PLEASANT

Anniversary services on Sunday were well attended and the supper on the following evening.

Miss Maud Torrance, Toronto, is visiting at the home of Mr. Wm. Moulds.

Miss Velma Bosworth, Toronto, visited her sister, Mrs. Wm. Moulds, over the weekend.

Miss Iva Stiles, Toronto, and Mrs. Everett Yorke, Newmarket, were home for the anniversary services.

Rev. M. E. R. Boudreau and Mr. Donald Davidson had Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Davidson.

Mr. Jack Bosworth spent a few days in Toronto with his cousin, Mr. Joe Johnston.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hamilton have motored to Winnipeg to visit their daughter, Isabelle.

Word has been received from Mrs. Bert Stephens who is in England that she is enjoying her visit at her former home there.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Horner and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Davidson.

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